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ELIZABETH CITY DIRECTORY.

PROFESSIONAL.

W. GRANDY, Jr., attorney at law, office on Main street, south side. v1n1-1y

L. COBB, attorney and counsellor at law, Main st. opposite "Carolinian" office. v1n1-1y

JAMES L. BALL, attorney and counsellor at law, office east side Road street, three doors from Main. v1n1-1y

DR. W. G. POOL, physician and surgeon, at his residence, south Main st. v1n1-1y

DR. L. K. SAUNDERS, physician and surgeon, Main street, opposite Baptist Church. v1n1-1y

DR. JOSEPH COMMANDER—office Road street, near Leather Hill; residence, Ehringhaus st. v1n1-1y

DR. R. K. SPEED, physician, office over Green & Fearing's store, cor. Road and Ehringhaus sts. v1n1-1y

DR. R. H. McINTOSH, physician, office Road street, formerly old Post Office. v1n1-1y

DR. I. T. ANDREWS, Dentist, office in North Carolinian building. v1n31-1y.

CLOCKS, WATCHES, &c.

FRANK M. COOK, watches, clocks, &c., &c., Road st., east side, near Main. v1n1-1y

DRUGS, CHEMICALS, &c.

J. Q. ETHERIDGE & Bro. drugs, chemicals, paints, oils, &c., northeast corner Road and Fearing sts. v1n1-1y

E. JAMES N. BUTT, drugs, chemicals, paints, oils &c. South West corner Church and Road Sts. 45-1y

M. MUMFORD & CO., drugs, paints, oils &c. South East corner of Main and Road Sts. 45-1y

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L. A. W. AND LUMBER CO. OF N. C., dealers in real estate, lumber, shingles and general merchandize, Water street, south of Main. v1n1-1y

Z. NAS FEARING, dry goods, groceries, boots, hats, &c., corner Road and Ehringhaus sts. v1n1-1y

S. WEISEL, ladies' dress goods, clothing, hats, boots and shoes, corner Main and Water sts. v1n1-1y

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D. E. BRADFORD, wholesale and retail grocer, No. 57 Road street. v1n1-1y

W. BROWN, Groceries, Liquors &c., also, Bowling Alley, Main St. near the Market. 47-1y.

WM. STEGER, baker, confectionery, groceries, &c., Road st., opposite Col. Martin's office. v1n1-1y

SURVEYING.

W. H. Weatherly, Topographical Drawing and Surveying in all its branches.

HOTELS.

PENNSYLVANIA HOUSE, Jos. G. Russell, proprietor. Boarding and lodging. Main st., west of Road. n2-1y

PENDLETON HOTEL, T. D. Pendleton, pro'r, Water st opposite Clark's Agricultural Warehouse. v1n1-1y

LIVERY STABLES

A. L. JONES, livery stables, old stand, Main street. v1n1-1y

C. B. BROTHERS, Livery Stables, east side Road st. south of Church. v1n1-1y

MISCELLANEOUS.

MRS. SARAH LAROYTEAUX, milliner, southwest corner Road and Main sts. v1n1-1y

NORTH CAROLINA MANUFACTURING, LOAN AND TRUST CO.'S BANKING HOUSE, one door east of the office of the "North Carolinian." v1n1-1y

GEO. M. SCOTT, life, fire and marine insurance agent, southeast corner Main and Elliott sts. v1n1-1y

JAMES L. SMITHSON practical house painter, Road st., near Main. v1n1-1y

GEO. W. BELL, gun and lock smith, Road street, two doors south of Main. v1n1-1y

H. CLARK, Agricultural Depot, dealer in agricultural implements, Water st. v1n1-1y

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I. O. O. F.—Achoree Lodge, I. O. O. F., meets at their Hall over Mr. J. Q. Etheridge's Drug Store, every Thursday evening—in Summer at 7½, and in Winter, 7½.

OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

ELIZABETH CITY.

Charter election on the first Monday of May.—Meeting of the Board of Commissioners, afternoon of the first Monday of each month. Mayor—George W. Cobb. Commissioners—C. Guirkin, Emanuel Davis, W. G. Pool Wm. Underwood, Miles Commander. Treasurer—Geo. W. Bell. Attorney, C W Grandy, Jr. Clerk—Jos. Commander. Collector—J. H. Miskell. Constable—J. H. Miskell. Auctioneer—A. J. Jones.

POST OFFICE—W. A. Price, Postmaster.

CHURCHES.—First M E Church, Rev S. S. Laubeth Pastor.—Sunday services at 11 o'clock, a. m. and 7 p. m.—S. School at 9 o'clock, a. m.—Christ Church (Episcopal), Rev M. H. Vaughan Rector.—Sunday School at 9 a. m. Services 10½ a. m. and 4½ p. m. Service in the Chapel for colored people at 8 p. m.——Baptist Church, Rev R. R. Overby.—Sunday services at 7½ o'clock, p. m., and on the fourth Sunday of each month at 11 o'clock, a. m. Sunday School at 9 a. m.; Prayer Meeting on Sunday mornings (except fourth Sunday), after school.——Zion A M E Church, Rev W H Pitts, Pastor.—Sunday services at 11 o'clock, a. m., and at 3 and 8 p. m. Sunday School at 9 a. m. Friends Meeting every Sabbath at 3 o'clock, P. M., at the house of Dr. Wm. Underwood.

LODGES.—Samaritan, No 1, K. of J.—Meets every Tuesday evening. O. C. Horton, W C.——Achoree, No 14, I O of O F.—Meets every Friday evening.——Brothers and Sisters of Love and Charity.—Meets alternate Tuesday nights.——Grand United Order of O. F.—Meets alternate Thursday nights.

MASONIC—Eureka Lodge, meets on first Monday night of each month.

PASQUOTANK COUNTY.

Sheriff, Jno L Wood; Clerk Superior Court, William E Vann; Treasurer, W G Pool; Coroner, B F Keaton; Register of Deeds, M B Culpepper; Surveyor, W H Weatherly; Standard Keeper, A L Jones; Commissioners, Geo D Pool, C W Hollowell, C W Grandy, Jr, Hugh Kale, Benjamin Johnston.—Representative, T A Sikes.

SUPERIOR COURT—Tenth Monday after the first Monday in March and October. County seat, Elizabeth City.

FIRST CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT.

(Composed of the Counties of Pasquotank, Perquimans, Camden, Currituck, Dare, Tyrrell, Hyde, Beaufort, Washington, Bertie, Hertford, Chowan, Martin, Gates, Northampton and Halifax.

Member of Congress, C L Cobb, Elizabeth City; Collector of Internal Revenue, Wm Barrow, Jackson; Assessor of Internal Revenue, Hiram E Stilley, Washington.

FIRST JUDICIAL DISTRICT.

Is composed of the counties of Pasquotank (Court held on 10th Monday after the first Monday in March and October—County seat Elizabeth City,) Bertie, (Court held on 1st Monday in March and October—County seat Windsor,) Camden, (Court 12 Monday after first Monday in March and October) Chowan, (Court 6th Monday after 1st Monday in March and October—County seat Edenton,) Currituck, (Court 14 Monday after the first Monday in March and October—County seat Currituck C. H.,) Gates, (Court 4th Monday after the 1st in March and October—County seat Gatesville,) Hertford, Court 3rd Monday in March and October—County seat Winton,) Perquimans, (Court 8th Monday after 1st Monday in March and October—County seat Hertford,) and Dare, (Court in June and January—County seat Roanoke Island,) Judge Hon. CHARLES C. POOL. Elizabeth City; Solicitor, Hon. J. W. ALBERTSON, Hertford.

UNITED STATES COURTS.

Judge Circuit and District Courts, George W Brooks, Elizabeth City; Clerk of Circuit Court, N J Riddick, Raleigh; U S Attorney, D H Starbuck, Salem; U S Marshal, S. T. Carrow, Washington. The Terms of the Circuit Court are as follows:—1st Monday in June, and last Monday in November, at Raleigh. The Terms of the District Court are as follows: Third Monday in April and October, at Elizabeth City; S T Bond, Clerk. Fourth Monday in April and October at New Bern; Thos Hibbard, Clerk. First Monday after the fourth Monday in April and October, at Wilmington, Wm. Larkins Clerk.

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JOHN Q. ETHERIDGE & BRO.

DEALERS IN PURE

DRUGS,

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AND FANCY ARTICLES.

All staples connected with a first class Drug Business will always be found on hand.

☞ Prescriptions accurately compounded.

32-1y. E. City, N. C. Jan., 20 70.

B. F. MITCHELL & SON,

COMMISSION MERCHANTS

and Dealers in Grain, Flour, Hay, &c.

Wilmington, N. C.

Special attention given to consignments of grain, and liberal advances made on receipt of Bill Lading.

30-6m.

SMITH, DIXON & CO.

COMMISSION PAPER WAREHOUSE,

338 CHARLES ST, BALTIMORE, MD.

Manufacturers of paper, machine made paper bags, and dealers in all descriptions of Paper, Card board, Twines and Ink. 32-1y

THE ELIZABETH CITY BAKERY & CONFECTIONERY STORE.

Fresh bread, cakes and pies always on hand Also a good variety of candies, fruits, nuts, figs, raisins, pickles, crackers, cheese, butter—in short everything in the bakery or confectionery line always on hand. Families supplied with bread cakes and pies on reasonable terms. Come and see. WILLIAM STEGER.

Road Street, Elizabeth City. 24-1y

HENRY B. COLEMAN.

Practical Painter and Grainer. Also practical Paper Hanger.

ELIZABETH CITY, N. C. May 12, 1870. 1y.

BRICK! BRICK!!

AT THE ELIZABETH CITY BRICK YARD

I am prepared to furnish Brick at all times and in quantities to suit purchasers. Parties desiring brick for building, paving, or for any other use, are respectfully solicited to call at my yard and examine for themselves both as to quality and price.

E. B. BROWER.

ELIZ. CITY, Jan. 18th, 1872-1y.

TO SOUTHERN CLAIMANTS.

Having been appointed Assistant Commissioner under the Act of Congress to examine and report on claims for Quarter Masters and Commissary Stores furnished by loyal men in the South to the Federal Army during the late war, I hereby give notice that I am prepared to receive applications from parties legally entitled to such claims.

In due time I will give public notice of the times and places of my visiting the several counties of Eastern North Carolina.

K. R. PENDLETON.

21—tf. P. O. Woodville N.C

PROFESSIONAL.

W. H. SMITH— —J. H. SHAW.

SMITH AND SHAW,

Attorneys and Counselors at Law.

ELIZABETH CITY, N. C

Will attend to all matters intrusted to us in the Superior, Supreme and Federal Courts of North Carolina. Collections promptly made. 35-tf.

ABNER S. WILLIAMS.

ATTORNEY AND COUNSELOR AT LAW,

Williamston, Martin county, N. C.

Collections made in any of the adjoining counties.

34—1y.

WALTER CLARK.— —J. M. MULLEN.

CLARK & MULLEN,

Attorneys at Law,

Halifax, N. C.

PRACTICE in all the courts of Halifax, Northampton, Edgecomb and Martin Counties, in the Supreme Court of North Carolina and in the Federal Courts. Collections made in any part of North Carolina.

N. B. One of the firm will attend at office in Scotland Neck on Saturday of every week. March 7th, 1872.—1yr.

C. W. GRANDY, Jr.

ATTORNEY AT LAW AND

GENERAL COLLECTOR,

ELIZABETH CITY, N. C.

Office North side of Main Street.

Jan. 13, 1870-1y.

PROFESSIONAL.—

DR. JAS. N. BUTT, Can be found at all hours of the day, at his Drug Store. In consequence of ill health he is engaged almost exclusively in an Office Practice. Those wishing medical attention will find him at home at all hours and avoid the annoyance of hunting a Physician absent on professional duties in the country.

E. City Sept. 15, 1870.

MEDICAL NOTICE.

Being engaged in other business, I desire to restrict my Practice to cases of Consultation, and to a limited extent of special practice.

My charges will be—

For consultation with another Physician, $5 00
" each subsequent consultation, in same case.....2 50
" examination and prescript'n, from $1 to 5 00
" visit in Eliz. City, and prescription, 1 50
" each subsequent visit, in same case, same day.....50
" visit in Eliz. City, at night.....5 00
" visit in country—the first mile.....2 00
" each after mile, per mile.....50
" visit one mile in country, at night, or in bad weather.....6 00
" each after mile, at night, or in bad weather.....1 00

Prompt settlement required.

W. G. POOL, M.D.

Elizabeth City, July 1, 1869—tf.

DENTISTRY.

The undersigned has opened an office in Elizabeth City, N. C., for the purpose of practicing Dentistry in all its branches.

☞ Office in the North Carolinian building second story, corner Main and Road streets.

I. T. ANDREWS.

May 26, 1870-tf.

MISCELLANEOUS.

NEW EATING SALOON!

FOWLER'S BUILDING ON WATER ST.

ELIZABETH CITY, N. C.

MEALS at all hours. Special accomodations for Ladies.

Fruits and Confectionaries of all kinds always on hand.

J. D. FULMER, Proprietor.

27-vol. 3-1y.

PHOTOGRAPH GALLERY.—

Having purchased Winner's Gallery I take this method of announcing to my friends and the public that I will continue the business in all its departments. Having had over a dozen years experience I flatter myself to be able to give full satisfaction. My instruments and material are all of the very best. My sky light is of the latest improved, enabling me to take pictures in cloudy weather as well as clear. All work guaranteed or the picture taken over or the money refunded.

WM. C. DAWSON.

E. City, May 11, 1871.—tf.

HOUSE, SIGN AND ORNAMENTAL PAINTING.

The undersigned has resumed the business of House, Sign and Ornamental PAINTER, and respectfully tenders his services to the public in that line of business.

His reputation as a painter is well known in this, and the surrounding counties; and the promptness with which he has heretofore acted, and the faithfulness with which all work entrusted to him has always been done, he hopes will again insure him a liberal patronage.

THOMAS R. BLAND.

Elizabe City, N. C., Sept. 30, 1869—1y.

W. H. CLARK'S

NORTH CAROLINA AGRICULTURAL DEPOT,

ELIZABETH CITY, N. C.

MR. CLARK would announce to the public that he has again re-opened his large establishment at which the following Machinery is Manufactured, Horse Powers, different Sizes and Patterns, Corn Shellers for Hand or Horse Power, Wheat Threshers, different sizes, Corn and Wheat Fans.

PLOUGHS of Different Patterns and Sizes always on hand, also, Corn Planters, Straw Cutters, Horse Rakes, Scythes, Reap Hooks and all kinds of Agricultural Machinery repaired at Short Notice.

36—1y.

PENDLETON'S HOTEL,

ELIZABETH CITY, N. C.

T. D. Pendleton, Proprietor.

This well-known house is located conveniently for the traveling public, being near the boat landing. Especial attention is taken to make guests comfortable. Charges moderate. 22-1y.

Intelligence Office.

THE subscriber has opened an "Intelligence Office." Persons wishing employment, either on the farm or as servants in the house, can find employment by leaving their names with me, with good references: and those wishing hands or servants can be supplied. Terms moderate.

☞ I am still Agent for Smith's Vapor Gas Lamp.

Office on Road Street, near the Canal Bridge.

CHARLES S. DAVIS.

Elizabeth City, N. C. 40—3m.

THE RED FLAG.

Ah! what does that Red Flag mean on Leather Hill? It means that is the place to get all your old tin ware repaired, such as, coffee pots, tea pots, oil cans, etc., etc.

Come one, come all, and get your tin ware mended at the shortest notice, conducted by

H. O. HILL.

E. City, N. C., March 14th, 1872.

38-tf.

ANDES INSURANCE COMPANY

CINCINNATI, O.

Cash Assets - - - - - $1,200,000.

J. B. BENNETT, PRES'T J. H. BEATTIE SEC'Y

BLACK & DASHIELL *Agents.*

Office S. W. Corner Main and Road Streets, Elizabeth City, N. C.

April 20, 1871-tf.

BANKING HOUSES.

NORTH CAROLINA MANUFACTURING, LOAN AND TRUST COMPANY.

Incorporated by the N. C. Legislature, with Liberal Banking Privileges.

Office: Elizabeth City, N. C.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS:

GEO. D. POOL, *Pres't.*; R. F. OVERMAN, *Cash.*
Dr. P. JOHN, Hon. JOHN POOL,
Hon. C. C POOL, C. W. HOLLOWELL,
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Deals in Exchange, Sight Drafts, Gold and Silver Coin, Government and other Securities, etc.

Uncurrent Bank Notes bought and sold on reasonable terms.

July 15, 1869-1y.

GUIRKIN & CO.

BANKERS & BROKERS,

COPE'S BRICK BUILDING, ROAD ST,

Elizabeth City, N. C.

Do a general Banking business,

Buy and Sell, Gold and Silver, Domestic and Foreign Exchange,

Deal in State, County and Corporation Bonds and Stocks.

☞ *Interest allowed on Deposits.*

Also Agents for FIRST CLASS LIFE, FIRE AND MARINE INSURANCE COMPANIES.

Policies effected at lowest rates and in best Companies in the world. 28-tf.

LIVERY STABLES.

JONE'S LIVERY STABLES

At Elizabeth City, N. C.

I would announce to my friends and the public that I am still at the old place on Main street, a few doors west of Road, and keep horses, buggies, carriages, &c., for hire. Persons promptly accommodated at all times and on reasonable terms.

ARTHUR L. JONES.

Mar. 17, 1870.—38—1y.

LIVERY STABLES

AT ELIZABETH CITY, N. C.

The subscriber takes this method of informing his old friends and the public generally that he is still at the "old stand" and continues to keep horses, buggies, carriages &c., for hire. Persons accommodated at all times and on reasonable terms. Remember the place—on Road Street near the canal bridge.

1 yr. C. B. BROTHERS.

Poetry.

My Neighbor.

BY GERALD MASSEY.

"*Love thou thy Neighbor*," we are told,
"*Even as Thyself*." That creed I hold:
But love her more, a thousand-fold!

My lovely neighbor; oft we meet
In lonely lane or crowded street;
I know the music of her feet.

She little thinks how, on a day
She must have missed her usual way,
And walked into my heart for aye.

Or how the rustle of her dress
Thrills through me like a soft caress,
With troubles of deliciousness.

Wee woman, with her smiling mien,
And soul celestially serene,
She passes me, unconscious Queen!

Her face most innocently good,
Where shyly peeps the sweet red blood,
Her form a nest of Womanhood!

Like Raleigh—for her dainty tread
When ways are miry—I could spread
My cloak, but there's my heart instead.

Ah Neighbor, you will never know
Why 'tis my step is quickened so;
Nor what the prayer I murmur low.

I see you 'mid the flowers at morn,
Fresh as the rosebud newly born;
I marvel, can you have a thorn?

If so, 'twere sweet to lean one's breast
Against it, and, the more it prest,
Sing like the Bird that Pain hath blest.

You know not, dear, how dear you be;
All dearer for the secrecy:
Nothing and yet a world to me!

Selected Story.

Three Gold Balls. A Visit to the New York Pawnbrokers' Shops.

A week or too since, I had occasion to visit several pawnbrokers' establishments in this city, to redeem some articles pawned by a friend who had once seen better days.

A brief mention of my experience may be instructive as well as entertaining. The redemption of my friends tools (he was a mechanic) was accomplished after little trouble in visiting the principle establishments doing business under the sign of the "Three Golden Balls," in a certain street, and redeeming one or two articles here, another there, and a third or fourth somewhere else.

I had been told of the system of universal cheating which the proprietors of these places practice, and the enormous exactions made in grinding the faces of the poor. I had heard of their dexterity in the substitution of colored glass and crystals for gems, while pretending to examine articles brought for pledges, and was prepared to encounter all that was sinister and heartless. But the half had not been told me, and I soon found that my previous conceptions fell far short of the reality. I was detained at each place which I had occasion to visit by the delays in finding the articles I was in search of, and for which the holders had doubtless flattered themselves no inquiries would be made. The press of business at all of the shops was another cause of delay. As I recovered my friend's articles, one by one, it appeared at once that the most outrageous system of extortion had been practiced in every instance. The sums advanced had been pitiful in amount, and the rates of interest charged exorbitant beyond belief. At every one of these dens a crowd of victims was collected—a motley company indeed; blackleggs and would-be gentlemen—the cheater and the cheated; the widow parting with her disposable article of dress, to procure one more meal for her famishing children; a consumptive girl, with the hectic flush upon her cheek. The grasping misers—sometimes a woman—read the condition of the sufferers from their countenances with cool calculation. The pick-pocket, the thief, and the purloining servant were received with equal readiness, and the spoils were divided with the fullest understanding that no questions were to be asked.

AT MY UNCLE'S.

I had scarcely made my business known at the first of "my uncle's" establishments, (No.——,——street) to which I had been directed, when a middle-aged man entered with a bundle on which he asked a small advance, and which, on being opened, was found to contain a shawl and two or three other articles of female apparel. The man was stout and sturdy, and, as I judged from his appearance, a mechanic; but the mark of the destroyer was on his bloated countenance. The pawnbroker was examining the offered pledge when a woman with a pale face and attenuated form came hastily into the shop, and with the single exclamation, "O, Robert!" darted rather than ran to that part of the counter where the man was standing. Her miserable husband, not satisfied with wasting his own earnings, and leaving her to starve with her children, had plundered her scanty wardrobe, and the pittance received was to be squandered at the rum shop. A blush of shame arose even upon his degraded face, but it quickly passed away; the brutal appetite prevailed.

"Go home," was his harsh exclamation; "what brings you here, running after me with your everlasting scolding? Go home and mind your own business."

"Oh, Robert, dear Robert!" exclaimed the unhappy wife, "don't pawn my shawl. Our children are crying for bread, and I have none to give them; or let me have the money. Give me the money, Robert, and don't leave us to perish!"

I watched the face of the pawnbrokers. "Twelve shillings on these things," he said, tossing them back to the drunkard, with a look of perfect indifference. "Only twelve shillings!" murmured the heart-broken wife, in a tone of despair; "Oh, Robert, don't let them go for twelve shillings. Let me try somewhere else." "Nonesense!" answered the brute, "it's as much as they are worth, I suppose. Here, Mr.——. give us the change." The money was placed before him, and the bundle consigned to a drawer. The poor creature reached forth her hand towards the money, but the movement was anticipated, by her husband. "There, Mary," he said, giving her a half-dollar, "there, go home now, and don't make a fuss. I'm going a little way up the street, and perhaps I'll bring you something from market when I come home."

The hopeless look of the poor woman as she meekly turned to the door, told plainly enough how little she trusted the promise. They went their way—she to her children, and he to the next "corner grocery."

A BENEVOLENT CUSTOMER.

While this scene was in progress another had been added to the number of spectators. This was a young man dressed in the height of fashion. He had a reckless, good-humored look, and very much the air of what is called "a young man about town," that is, one who rides out to the Central Park in the afternoon, eats game suppers at Delmonico's in the evening after the play, and spends the rest of the night and his money at billiards. The moment the poor woman was gone he twitched from his neck a gold chain, with a gold watch, and placing it in the hands of the pawnbroker, with whom he seemed to be on terms of acquaintance, he exclaimed, "Quick, now Mr.——; thirty dollars on that? you've had it before, and needn't stop to examine it." The money was instantly paid; and the young man of fashion, crumbling the bills up in his hand, hurried off at full speed, first looking up and then down the street. I followed him to the door and saw him accost the poor woman who had just left the shop, thrust into her hand either the whole or part of the sum he had just received, and then turn away to the other side of the street without stopping either for thanks or for explanation.

The reverie of mingled surprise and admiration into which I was thrown by this unexpected manifestation of benevolence was interrupted by a loud outcry from Mr.——, the pawnbroker, and by seeing him with a look of wrath and horror, hurry round his counter and out through the door upon the sidewalk, where he stood for a moment straining his eyes down the street, as if in search of the kind-hearted youth, who had by this time disappeared up one of the cross streets. "The villain," he exclaimed, "the swindling scoundrel? Which way did he go—the ungrateful thief? Tell me," he continued, turning to me, "tell me which way he went." I pointed out to Mr.——the course taken by his late customer, and mentioned also what I had seen take place betwee him and the poor woman. "Ah, it's no use," he then said; "he's got off clear by this time, and my thirty dollars is a 'gone case.' But I'll find him yet, some day." And thus soliloquizing, Mr.——returned into his shop. Taking advantage of the familiarity that had grown up between the broker and his chain, the young man had substituted an oriode chain for the gold one which had been so often deposited with the watch, and the deception had passed unnoticed until it was too late. The watch itself was a cheap one, and probably worth about the sum advanced.

THE STORY OF A RING.

A touching incident occurred at the place of my next visit. A woman about thirty-five years old, in the garb of morning, entered, evidently with reluctance; she could hardly make the object of her visit known on account of her emotion. She was of a delicate frame, of easy and graceful manners, and but for the ravages of care upon her face might still have been beautiful. At length she took a ring from a pretty little morocco case, upon the pledge of which she wished to realize such an amount of money as would sustain herself and children through the winter. The extortioner took the ring in his fingers, and holding it up to the window pretended to examine it—assuming at the same time an air of affected disappointment, he began at once to depreciate the article, declaring that it was nothing but an Alaska crystal, and that he would hardly take it at any price. He was inexorable, and peremptorily refused to advance more than four or five dollars. Tears glistened in the woman's eyes.

I had seen, as the man studied the ring with secret satisfaction by the window, that the gem was valuable. I was determined that the unfortunate owner should not be imposed upon. Just before a bargain was completed, however, as I was about to interpose myself, another gentleman, who had also watched the proceeding, stepped forward and declared that beautiful ring should not be sacrificed to the Jew in that way. The broker at once endeavored to hasten matters, and declaring the bargain to have been completed, would have succeeded in thrusting the jewel into the drawer but for the resolution of the gentleman, who seized and saved it. The wretch muttered some thing about people's interfering in business that was exclusively his own concern, but to no purpose. The widow was rescued from his fangs, and received a fair amount for the ring.

This poor lady, whose history I afterward learned, was an orphan, a daughter of a Virginia planter, who had been reduced to poverty before our civil war, so that his children were left portionless, and had been married when quite young. The husband of this daughter was killed in the late war, and she had learned the miseries and uncertainties of life.

Doubtless these examples which came under my notice are but a few of many, the mere relation of which is sufficient to make one blush for his fellow men.

"Oh cursed pelf!
Thou deadly blight of man's best hopes!
The wretch who loves thee loves a wasting canker,
Which ever gnaws his vitals and retains its hold,
Till life's last sand is run."

The Latest Swindle.—Certain sanctimonious charlitans would fain persuade the world the diffusive stimulants have no medicinal value, and that detestible slops, composed of griping acids and drastic purgatives, are better tonics than the finest vegetable ingredients combined with the purest end mellowest products of the still. But this sort of thing won't go down. The stomach of our common sense rejects it, as the physical stomach of every man with an underpraved palate rejects, with loathing and abhorrence, the nauseous abominations, "free from alcohol," which Humbugs are trying to thrust down the throats of Temperance Invalids under the pretense that the filthowill do them good? It is not likely that while *Plantation Bitters*, the Standard Tonic of America, is anywhere accessible, such sickening frauds can make much headway, but it is as well to put the public on their guard against them.

Certain church-goers in Norwich, Conn., are puzzled. A month ago, a clergyman from Meriden preached a very fine sermon to them. Last Sunday a clergyman from Eagleville preached eloquently to them, but it was the same sermon. Now they are anxious to know who wrote it.

The last question that has troubled philosophy is this: Which causes a girl most pleasure, to hear herself praised or another girl run down?

Communicated.

Mr. Boggins Rises to Explain.

My Dear Millie:—I find it impossible to express the magnitude of my indebtedness to you, for your characteristic and bubbling letter of the 17th. If the popular opinion is correct that laughter is a generator of obesity, and a preserver of good health, I am in a fair way of rivaling the "Ohio fat woman" in the one, and the Goddess Hygea herself in the other. Blissfully ignorant by reason of the obtuseness of girlish vanity, that your labored strategem was detected as soon as your first letter was received, you can form no conception Millie dear, of the intensity of my amusement and enjoyment when I perused your last. Oh! it was exeruciatingly, agonizingly ludicrous. The picture you drew of your delight at my supposed discomfiture, when in reality you yourself were so cutely stultified, was enough to force even

"Tantalus to cease to sip,
The cup that flies from his arid lip.
And Sisyphus to cease to toss,
The notable stone that gathers no moss;"

and constrain these unfortunate gentlemen in spite of their affections, to give vent to peals of laughter "of which all Hell would ring."

But as I know you are terribly anxious to learn the modus operandi by which your own weapons were turned against you, and you were fairly beaten at your favorite game of deception, I will disclose a "few circumstances," that I hope will be "good for your constitution." Before doing so however, I must apologize for thus cruelly dispelling the sweet delusion you have hugged to your bosom, that your "well laid plans" were successful. You have my sincerest, tenderest pity my dear Millie, in the fall of your pride and self-conceit, and this no doubt will in some degree console you for being obliged to illustrate and confine in your own person, the truism that "treachery often over-leaps itself."

I must inform you then, that Miss Bella Carlton ("you know who she is don't you?") has for the past two years been an occasional visitor at my mother's house, and during that time she and I have been the best of friends. Indeed she was the only young lady with whom I was at all intimate prior to the reception of your letter of advice. She it was who first counseled me to write and ask you for those excellent directions, which in spite of yourself have rendered me eternally your debtor. This is how it happened. Miss Bella was upbraiding me one evening for secluding myself from ladies society, and seconded her reproach with (to say the least) such alluring arguments that I consented to change my course. But the trouble was how to proceed. I knew nothing about young ladies. True I was acquainted with *her*, but she told me distinctly I must not imagine the others like her, as she made no pretentions to being fashionable. "What shall I do then" I inquired. After thinking a moment her face brightened into one of those beautiful smiles you painted so eloquently in your letter, as she exclaimed eagerly; "I'll tell you. Write to your friend Millie Dare, and ask her advice in regard to the matter. Millie is a vain creature, and it will flatter her immensely; besides, she is a leader of the latest fashions, mingles constantly in gay society, and can give you more information about the general "make up" of the "girl of the period" than any one I know." Therefore I wrote to you; with what result you are already acquainted. It so befell that Miss Bella was at our house when your letters to each of us came. We thus had an opportunity of comparing them immediately. I thought she would expire in an agony of mirth at what you wrote about moustaches and poetical quotations. "Augustus," said she, when she could laugh no more for pure exhaustion, this "model man" Millie speaks of is a dignified Lieutenant who once jilted her, and who is famous for a semi-circle moustache, and a fondness for sentimental rhymes. These two things have ever since been her especial horror and detestation; hence this bitter irony in reference to them. In fact she has been a furious man hater from that day to this, and her purpose in attempting to deceive you is to wreak her vengence in part on your sex for the cruel behavior of Lieutenant Tagger. If however Millie had suspected we were friends she would never have let me into her secret, as she knows that when a woman has two friends of different sexes, she is always truer to the male than the female."

"The plan Millie gives though," proceeded Miss Bella, (when the girls are not forewarned, as in this case she wished them to be,) will operate well, and if you adopt it you will probably be as successful with the most of them as was the gay Lieutenant with our conceited friend." Accordingly I did adopt it, and very luckily too or I should have shared the fate of poor Jones. I showed the report of my proceedings to Miss Bella before sending it to you, and she forthwith determined to pay you a visit, pretend to you that your plot had succeeded, and enjoy your rapturous delight at the supposed success of your vengeance against a representative of the sex of the hateful Tagger. This is why she so astonished you by "springing into your room" when you least expected her. Do you wonder now, Millie dear, that she almost laughed herself to death at your ecstatic joy and tickled vanity, knowing all the time how cunningly she had duped you? Ah! my poor Millie, how I pity you. "Perchance you will think this is a queer way for me to treat my friends"—mortifying *your* pride, and "poaching" on Miss Bella while she is in your very house—but as for you, you deserve it, and as for her, she can force you to *appear* in a good humor at least, by quoting your language in reference to me: "if you get angry you will show yourself more foolish than I take you to be." *In a game of deceit put a woman to match a woman.*

Before closing this letter, I must scold you for misrepresenting my friend. You say that she, when commenting on my bad grammar made use of the expression "that Shakspearean quotation amused Eva and I more than a little." Now Millie you know she didn't say that. She said Eva and *me*, but you were so inflated just then with an idea of your superiority, that you thought she had made a mistake, and substituted *I* for *me*. You should pray the Lord to make you less conceited, dear.

I neglected to tell you that the ladies I first visited are strangers to you, having recently moved here from a neighboring city. Since writing you I have been to their former home, and found your "ironical" plan as efficient with their friends and associates, as with themselves, and the ladies here. Oh! Milly, how can I ever sufficiently thank you for those incomparable directions!

Sympathizingly and
gratefully yours
AUGUSTUS CLAUDE BOGGINS.

Miscellaneous.

A Letter from Senator Conkling.

The following letter was addressed to the great Republican Meeting held in the City of New York on the 17th inst.

SENATE CHAMBER, WASHINGTON, }
April 15th 1872. }

Gentlemen: I rejoice that on Wednesday next the "merchants and bankers of New York" will speak for President Grant. In hours of supreme trial now past, the nation received its best and wisest impulses and its greatest aid, from these same merchants and bankers. Their voice is timely now again to hold the country steady on the course of safe, honest and prosperous administrrtion, and to check the restless spirit which seeks change at the cost of the general good.

A people would be ungrateful and stolid, indeed, who could find no cause of thankfulness to God and to man, in the marvelous prosperity which has so quickly followed a desolating and agonizing war. A man must be sadly constituted who, looking abroad upon forty millions of people, blest as we have been for the last three years, can find nothing better to inspire him than resentment, ambition, and disappointment—nothing to dwell upon but the flaws and faults from which humanity never will be free.

A public sentiment would be strangely depraved and ungenerous which could patiently tolerate the unjust accusations and wanton aspersions now heaped upon a firm and modest Chief Magistrate, who, in peace or in war, never shrank from his duty, and whose civil administration, should it end to-morrow, must ever stand among the best and purest in our history.

Never was there a time more fitting than this for business men to express their judgement upon national affairs.

If the name, the character, the Administration of Ulysses S. Grant has been of value to the nation, no one knows it so well as the men who represent the property, the credits, the public securities, and the enterprise of the country, North and South.

If the President has been a tower of strength at home and abroad; if his silent firmness has inspired confidence and security; if turbulence in the South has quailed; if schemes of repudiation and expansion have hidden their heads; if restored currency and reduced debt and taxation have come, if foreign nations have composed differences with us and so borne themselves as to accord our country the weight and dignity it deserves; in short, if our Government has for three years been a good watchdog, guarding rights, liberties, and interests everywhere, the business men of the City of New York know it, they ought to say it, and when they speak the nation will hear.

My testimony will not be needed in such a cloud of witnesses; yet, grateful for your invitation, I would gladly accept it, did not other duties stand in the way, I hope soon to address the citizens of New York, but you will pardon me if I say a further word here.

Entering Congress in 1856, I have tried to study closely four Administrations, and to learn their inner workings, and my conviction is, that in rigid honesty, in duties earnestly, wisely, and successfully done, the last three years are the best of the last thirteen. Writing, as I do, on the anniversary of Lincoln's great proclamation, which struck the fetters from four million slaves, and revering Lincoln's memory, I believe that Lincoln's devotion to duty never rose higher than Grant's.

Of all the men I have seen in high station, there is not one with less pride of opinion or

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National Republican Convention.

THE NATIONAL REPUBLICAN CONVENTION will be held in Philadelphia, on Wednesday, the 5th day of June, 1872, to nominate candidates for President and Vice President of the United States.

First Congressional District.

By direction of the Republican Executive Committee of the 1st Congressional District, a Convention to nominate a candidate for Congress, and a Presidential Elector and appoint Delegates to the Philadelphia Convention, and for the transaction of other business will be held at Plymouth, on Thursday the 23rd, of May. Each county will be entitled to the same number of votes as they have in the lower branch of the Legislature.

The Chairman of the Executive Committee of each county, will call meetings to appoint delegates from their respective counties in accordance with the above notice.

Also, at the same time and place there will be a congressional convention for the purpose of nominating two senators for the second District.

S. T. CARROW,
Chm'n Ex. Com. 1st Dis.

THE LAW OF THE PARTY APPLIED TO THE BOLTER'S CANDIDATE FOR MAYOR.

At the organization of the Republican Party in North Carolina a *plan* of organization was adopted which has remained in force ever since. It is the *law* of the party. One of the articles is in these words:

No member of the Republican party shall become a candidate for any office until it shall have been regularly nominated by the proper authority, *and all Republicans are required to support nominations when so made.* Any Republican desiring an office may become a candidate for the nomination, but *not for the office itself until he shall be* REGULARLY NOMINATED.

Now where does this place GEO. W. Conn the *bolting* candidate for Mayor of Elizabeth City? In defiance of the law laid down for the government of the party he not only refuses to support the regular nominee but persists in being a candidate against him.

Again the following additional article was added for the regulation and guidance of Republicans:

No Conventions will be recognized but those called by the regularly constituted authorities—that is, the different Executive Committees of State, Congressional districts, Counties and Cities. In order to ensure harmony and success every good Republican will support the nominees of Conventions thus regularly called and held *and no other.* It is earnestly requested that all Republicans exert themselves to promote harmony in the ranks, pay no attention to the devices of the opposition, and see to it that all Republicans are united as one man, and thus march shoulder to shoulder to the ballot-box. Let us do this, and victory is certain.

This is clear, plain, emphatic. As Mr. Conn was nominated by an *irregular* Convention—one called without public notice and *not* by the Executive Committee—no "good Republican" can or will support him. Realizing that he is doing the very things the law of the party points out should *not* be done all Republicans will unite as one man and "march shoulder to shoulder to the ballot-box" and *vote against him.*

The Republican State Conventions already held settles the question of the next Republican nomination for the Presidency. They have all instructed their delegates to vote for GRANT, and in doing so they bear testimony to the grateful appreciation of the Republicans of the country of his earnest, honest and successful administration of the trust committed to him in 1868. He will be renominated and elected.

How true it is that the men who make the most pretentions generally give less reality, and promise the shadow while they keep the substance.

Bolting is like a two-edged sword. It is so apt to cut both ways.

THE NORTHERN ELEMENT AMONG US

There is now in this City and County quite a large Northern element. They are citizens. They have come to stay—have identified themselves with the interests of the State, intending to pass the rest of their days in this good old commonwealth. Being men of thrift and intelligence, men of independent thought and action, they are making themselves felt in the body politic. Their strong desire is to mingle on friendly terms with the people—*all* the people just as they did in their Northern homes. They have no disposition to be clannish, because they were not so educated; *nor will they be so,* unless forced by the circumstances surrounding them. They all believe that North Carolina has as good, if not better natural resources than any State in the Union; and they think by mingling with the people, thus creating a mutuality of interest, the resources of the State will be developed, and that she will take her place, where she ought to be, in the front ranks of those composing the great American nation. They hold that North Carolina will never become a great commonwealth until she receives, within her limits, the resolute young men and women of the North; and that an admixture of the two elements—native and northern—and the development of what is best in both, will make a great and wealthy people.

Now there is a difference between the mere "carpet bag" adventurer and the immigrant who comes to locate, and live, and stay. The first class came at a time when the South was helpless. They were cormorants who had no moral principle nor did they care to ingratiate themselves into the favor of the native whites in whose midst they had come. All they wanted was to make money, and they were ready to do all things, however unscrupulous, to attain their ends. No wonder the Southern people hated them, nor was it any marvel that they at first looked upon all Northern men with some suspicion.

The Southern people have been gradually learning their mistake—have found out that the "carpet bag" villians and thieves were *not* representatives of the Northern element; and that they are as much despised and hated by those who have come in good faith to make North Carolina their home as they can be by the native Southerner. The Northern man who has become a citizen expects to act and to be recognized just the same as in Pennsylvania or New York. He expects to exercise all the rights of a freeman without provoking any hostile feeling from any one for doing so. He will take a part, trying to do his duty, in promoting every movement calculated to promote the public weal. And when it comes to voting he will always cast his ballot in accordance with his honest convictions. Nor will any true friend of North Carolina cast any reproach upon him for doing so.

THE DEMAGOGUE.

If there is anything we hate more than another in politics it is the *demagogue.* He is despicable—dangerous. We've met him North; we have seen him South. Nor is he confined to any one party. His object is the "loaves and fishes." If a Republican, he boasts of his power and influence; of his ability to lead the great body of colored voters to do his bidding. Realizing that the colored people, just coming out of bondage, were little versed in the ways of citizenship, he began plying his vocation upon them, professing wonderful friendship and impressing upon them their great obligations to him for the civil and political rights they enjoy!

This answered his purpose—resulted to his advantage—kept him in office. But the spell is broken. The colored people begin to see that they have been used as tools. Their general political instincts are right. They know that to the Republican party they owe their liberties, and that to this party they must still look for the full bestowment of their civil and political rights. No class have exhibited such matchless fidelity to a party as they. They have shown a heroism and devotion to Republicanism unparalelled in history—refusing to yield for threats or blandishments or scourges even. They well understand, that a return of Democracy to power means oppression and a restriction of their liberties. And when men who have been trusted as leaders advise them to a course so well pleasing to the Democracy as to *bolt a regular nomination* they pause in wonder, aye, ask the question, can such a man be longer trusted with safety? Is he not a *demagogue?* And, by the way, has *he* not been "on the make" all the while, using us to help him? Pertinent questions.

THE CINCINNATI CONVENTION.

The Cincinnati Convention commenced its sessions, we suppose, yesterday. It is composed of Liberal Republicans—liberal enough to vote a Democratic ticket and to labor for Democratic success. They are delegates without any constituents except the ghosts of their departed cupidities and ambitions. Not a man will appear upon their miserable roster whose presence cannot be explained by some tale of shame or personal disappointment. They went to Cincinnati because they have so conducted themselves as to have no place in the confidence of Republicans, and because there is no abiding place for them short of Democracy, to which this Convention is the bridge. Their utterances will fall idly upon the hosts of true Republicans of the country who are arming and organizing for victory.

No man has a right to deceive, mislead, or dupe the colored man. No true man will do it. Treat him as a man, a citizen. Deal with him openly, frankly and honestly. Let him understand that you are his friend, not from selfish motives but from *principle.* Let him know that you desire his elevation and advancement. It will be better for him, better for all.

There will be a general warming up of the Democracy of the Old North State.—*Exchange.*

Yes, and it will happen in August next.

OUR STATE TICKET.

We place the Republican State ticket at our mast head this week. It is one the people of the State who desire peace and progress can rally around with an assurance that its success will make those desires accomplished facts. Our standard bearer, TOD R. CALDWELL is one in whom the honest people of North Carolina have confidence. They always know where to find him. He has been tried and found faithful. He is inflexibly firm in his purpose to do right. He is not to be swerved from duty. And he is an unflinching and uncompromising Republican.

As for the other candidates, they too are able and reliable men. They are popular and acceptable—general favorites wherever known. With such a ticket, representing the sound principles of true Republicanism, we go into this campaign feeling that we can redeem the State from the control of a venal Legislature and secure the reelection of North Carolina's favorite Hon. JOHN POOL to the United States Senate.

TREMENDOUS.—We were shown a few days ago a radish of this year's growth that measured an eighth of an inch in diameter.

This enormous vegetable was produced in the garden of one of our most prominent lawyers.—*Tarboro Enquirer of April 20th.*

We can beat it. We have been eating radishes from our own garden for some time measuring over *an inch* in diameter.

The Philadelphia *Press* says, "The source and mainspring of the Cincinnati project was the Missouri bolt, which enfranchised the rebels, betrayed the freedmen and elected FRANK BLAIR to the United States Senate. It began with free trade, and it will end, if it wins, in the overthrow of protection.

Nineteen out of every twenty men in the lead of the Liberal Republican movement held office under Andrew Johnson, and have been removed from places which the people never designed they should occupy.

New Books, Periodicals, &c.

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This is the only religious journal for which Mr. Beecher writes, or to which he in any way contributes. His characteristic articles of all kinds and the only complete and authorized verbatim reports of his weekly "Lecture Room Talks," as well as Mrs. H. B. Stowe's delightful (and for the year 1873 *exclusive*) contributions, are attractive features of the paper; while the various outside articles and the admirably sustained regular departments of the paper furnish something of interest to every member of the family.

"Wide Awake" and "Fast Asleep," a pair of French Oil Chromos, will be given away to all annual subscribers. The regular market price of these beautiful pictures is ten dollars, at which thousands of them have been sold. They are simply charming, and cannot fail to please all who love art or children. The *Christian Union* one year and both these chromos will be sent for $3; ten cents extra for postage; and twenty-five cents extra for mounting and varnishing, when that style is preferred, as it nearly always is. See advertisement in another column.

Lippincott's Magazine for May is filled with entertaining matter, opening with another installment of Whymper's delightful "Reminiscences of the Alps." Mr. Black's "Phaeton" is driven through another stage of its strange adventures. "On Foot in Navarre," by David G. Adee, is pleasant reading. Mrs. Wistar's "Sisterhoods in England" contains a great deal of information for those who favor the effort making in the Old World to introduce diluted nunneries into the creed and practice of Protestanism. Beside these there are several stories and poems, a well-digested summary of gossip, additional chapters of "Aytoun," illustrated "Sketches of Philadelphia," and a charming description of Mrs. Henry C. Gibson's Art Gallery, which is the second of a series on "Private Art Collections in Philadelphia." Altogether, the May *Lippencott* is "not bad to take."

THE PHRENOLOGICAL JOURNAL for May is a most interesting number. The following topics are worth special commendation: The Presidential Campaign —Judge Davis,—Gov. Parker; How the Faculties Combine; History of Photography in America; Expression, finely illustrated; Choosing a Servant; Robert Chambers, the distinguished Scottish Author and Publisher, Punishment and Prison Reform; Homes of Famous Americans; The Hermitage; Small-Pox and Vaccination; Irrigation in Colorado; The First Chapters in Genessis,- another interpretation; Tools for our Women, etc. Terms, $3 a year, Single Nos. 30 cents. S. R. Wells, New York.

Correspondence.

Our Washington Letter.
No. 19.

Washington, D. C., April 18th, 1872.

IMPORTANT ARGUMENT.

The bill to refund the cotton tax still lingers before the House Committee of Ways and Means to which it has been referred, but that Committee appear to be giving it such consideration as will no doubt result in its prompt passage when once it is reported. Yesterday Hon. Herschel V. Johnson made an exhaustive argument in its favor before the Committee showing the unconstitutionality of the law of 1866 under which it was collected, and that this unconstitutionality would have been declared by the Supreme Court of the United States ere the spirit of war under which it was enacted had been fairly swept out of the way so as to allow a course of equal justice to sway the average mind, but for the fact that the members of the Supreme bench were equally divided in opinion on the subject. He made it very clear that upon the opinion of one man out of nine hangs the question of legality of the statute, while the injustice and iniquity of the law itself is admitted by all men who have dispassionately examined the subject. The rightfulness of the refund is shown to be the opinion of Congress by the repeal of the law as an unjust imposition. Thus a previous Congress and doubtless the present Supreme bench together with the people of the country in general who have looked into the manner of its collection are all in favor of doing justice to these worthy producers by giving them back that which has been wrongfully taken from them. It is therefore to be hoped that the present Congress will have the firmness to do this praisworthy act of manly reparation not only for the sake of the recipient, but also for the growth of the South and consequent prosperity of the country at large.

MORE POLITICAL DOCUMENTS.

The Congressional Republican Committee has just published two documents of great importance. One is a compitation of the last three Presidential messages by topics with introductory comments. The President is permitted to speak for himself upon Education, the Labor Question, Commerce, Agriculture, Manufactures, Foreign Affairs, Tariff and Civil Service Reform, etc. It is the best possible document to be placed in the hands of the voters, for the purpose of refuting the allegation that the President is not a statesmen. His utterances are characterized by sound judgment, and a full comprehension of the topics under discussion.

The other document, also written by J. Fred Meyers, Esq, is a full statement of what may be accomplished through the instrumentality of the Republican Party, and comprises many new themes,—such as National Industrial schools, a National Labor Bureau, a National Sanitary Bureau, National Insurance, Postal Telegraph, National Railways, Tariff and Civil Service Reform, and the question of Centralization.

From this inventory it will be seen that it is one of the most important political documents that has been issued in many years.

PROTECTION TO EMIGRANTS.

There is pending in the House a very important measure designed to protect Immigrants on board ship and *in transitu.* The Tammany New York Convention have wasted over a million of dollars of the Emigrants money ($1.50 levied upon each statute adult) and are in debt now. This has been fully proved before the New York State Legislative Investigating Committee. It is to be hoped that this bill will not be neglected, for those Members who may have large constituences of foreign born citizens may be unpleasently reminded of this neglect. Action upon this subject is both a national any party necessity.

N. C. SENATOR SEATED.

Gen'l. Ransom, of North Carolina, yesterday took the oath and was admitted to a seat in the Senate without division. This completes the list of Senators and members admitted from the Southern States and constitutes a subject of congratulation that at last after twelve years of secession and its necessary consequences, the Southern States are reinhabited with full power of representation under the reconstruction laws. The majority of Republicans reported against the Republican claimant Gen'l. Abbott and in favor of Gen'l Ransom, and without a resort to party power or even a very strict construction of the constitutiop, the Democratic portion of the Legislature of North Carolina originally cast its vote solid in favor of one who was excluded by law—all the real lawful votes being cast for Gen'l Abbott—was allowed to have its own way in the matter.

PASSIVEISM.

It is now said that a National Democratic Convention will be held at St. Louis on the 4th of July.

Hon. Fernando Wood is authority for the statement yesterday that the Democrats will not favor or submit to the nomination of Chas. Francis Adams at the Cincinnati Convention for President. It is probable that he puts this forth and the further statement that some of the Democrats in Congress favor him for political bait in the porkopolis fishing grounds. Mum is the word or something worse from these expectants who are industriously waiting for a nibble.

MATTERS OF INTEREST.

John J. Knox was yesterday confirmed by the Senate as Comptroller of the Currency. He is generally acceptable and will undoubtedly make a first-class officer.

The letter of Charles Francis Adams to his dear friend David A. Wells Esq., the great Free Trader has a look that is child-like and bland. August Belmont thinks the letter as clear as mud, and so he goes for the Heathen Chinese, a the grand mickado of Cincinnati. Who's the next customer. C. M.

The Farmer's Club.

The Club met in the Court House at the usual hour. In the absence of President Kennedy, R. B. Creecy, Esq., occupied the Chair. The minutes of last meeting were read. The Committee on Charter and Fair Grounds reported progress. The legal steps required to procure a Charter were fully explained by J. H. Shaw, Esq. Remarks were made by Geo. D. Pool, G. B. Thompson, Geo. W. Charles, R. B. Creecy, Dr. P. John and others.

On motion the Executive Committee were appointed Corporators to be named in the Charter, and it was decided to adopt the name of The Albemarle Agricultural Society.

The subject of Manuring was then discussed, participated in by C. W. Hollowell, Capt. S. Waters, G. B. Thompson, R. B. Creecy, Geo. W. Charles, Dr. P. John and others. The subject not being exhausted, was continued over to next meeting.

Congress.

On the 22nd inst., in the Senate, the N. Carolina contested seat was discussed, without reaching a vote.——In the House a bill was introduced to prevent the contraction or expansion of the money market. A resolution was passed calling on the President for correspondence touching the indirect claims for damages against Great Britain.

On the 23rd inst., in the Senate, the resolution giving Mr. Abbott the contested seat from North Carolina was defeated. ——In the House, the Committee on Military Affairs was invested with power to investigate the abstraction of the records of the Buell court-martial from the War Department. The Goat Island scheme was debated.

On the 24th inst., in the Senate, Mr. Ransom was admitted to a seat from North Carolina. The House bill appointing Shipping Commissioners was reported favorably. A report was presented on the question of jurisdiction on the Tariff bill.——In the House the Goat Island question was disposed of. The case of Dr. Houard was debated.

On the 26th inst., the Senate spent the day in discussing the Deficiency Appropriation bill, without reaching a vote.——In the House, a strong discussion took place on the case of Dr. Houard, imprisoned by the Cuban authorities.

On the 26th inst., the Senate, made further progress with the Deficiency Apporiation bill———In the House, the resolutions concerning Dr. Houard were passed. The Tariff bill was taken up, and Mr. Finkelnburg spoke on Revenue Reform.

On the 27th inst., in the Senate, the Postal Telegraph bill was reported, Mr. Ramsey explaining its provsions at length.——In the House, the Tariff bill was debated, but without decisive action.

Hon. Tod R. Caldwell.

Hon. Tod R. Caldwell, our candidate for Governor, is a native of Burke county, and is now in the fifty-fifth year of his age. His father emigrated to this country from Ireland, and was for many years a leading merchant in Morganton. He was educated at the University of North Carolina, graduating in 1840 in a large class with distinction along with such men as Judge Barnes, Judge Shipp, Rev. A. M. Shipp, John A. Lillington, and others. He read law with the late Gov. Swain and was admitted to the bar in June, 1840. In 1841 he was elected Attorney for Burke and also for Caldwell county. He represented his native county in the House of Commons of the State Legislature in 1842, '44, '48, and '58.—In 1848 he was a member of the Eelectoral College which cast the vote of this State for Zachary Taylor for President. In 1850, he was elected Senator from the District composed of the counties of Burke, Caldwell, McDowell and Wilkes.

In politics he was an old line Henry Clay Whig of the straightest sect.

At the breaking out of the rebellion he was a firm and uncompromising advocate of the Union and a determined and bold foe of the Secessionists, and remained true to his principles throughout the war.

In 1865, Gov. Holden appointed him an aid, and he rendered good service to the State during the Provisional Government. During this year he was elected a delegate from Burke to the first State Convention which met after the war.

In 1868, he was nominated by the Republican party for Lieutenant Governor, to which office he was triumphantly elected. He was inaugurated on the first of July, 1868, and as pesiding officer of the Senate discharged his duties in such a manner as to challenge the admiration and secure the encomiums of all the members of both political parties.

On the deposition of Gov. Holden in December, 1870, Gov. Caldwell succeeded to the Executive Chair, and in the estimation of his political friends, and many others who are not warped by prejudice, has discharged his arduous duties with signal ability and success.

As a criminal lawyer, Gov. Caldwell stood at the head of his profession in the Circuit where he practiced, and as an evidence of his popularity among those who knew him best, he has never, in all the mutations of parties, failed of an election before the people when he was a candidate.

He married in Orange county in 1840 the eldest daughter of Wm. Cain, Esq., and niece of the late Chief Justice Ruffin.—*Era.*

General Summary.

The bridal trousseau of the future Empress of China will cost half a million.

The debt of Prince Napoleon in Paris are said to amount to nearly 4,000,000 francs.

The storm-signal man on top of Mount Washington holds the "highest office in the gift of the nation."

James Gorden Bennett's income from his real estate and newspaper is $225,000 per year, and that of his son $45,000.

Carlyle thinks afflictions are our true purifyers: "The eternal stars shine out as soon as it is dark enough!"

The Boston *Globe* tells of an apprentice who remarked to a fellow apprentice, "I don't like a boss who is allers round his shop interfering with his own business.

A lady of Rochester Minn., has obtained a patent for a fan, to be attached to a sewing machine, and operated by the same power.

"Come into the Varden, Maud," is the way in which musical mammas urge their daughters to try on their new calico dresses.

Man is enigma, with God and Heaven on one side and the devil and hell on the other, continually goading him to self-solution.

A youth of ninety-one reverently led to the alter a charming bride of one hundred and six. It is reported that they were married without the consent of their parents.

A Minnesota horse-thief having proved himself innocent, has been voted $1,600 by the Legislature to retrieve his reputation. Innocent horse-thieves should take note of this.

The library of the late Hon. Thaddeus Stevens was sold at auction it Philadelphia, a few days since. Many volumes were purchased as *souvenirs* of the "great commoner." Over $3,100 was realized by the sale.

Speaking of the Dana-Robeson investigation, the Cincinnati *Times* thinks that the man who swore to a hundred black cats and then gradually fell back till he was only sure there was one, and would not give *that* one up anyhow, was no circumstance to Robeson's accuser.

An English writer advises young ladies to look favorably upon those engaged in agricultural pursuits, giving as a reason that their mother Eve married a gardener. He forgot to add, however, that the gardener lost his situation in consequence of the match.

Forney says: "Grant is the strongest American with the American people this day living. We believe a dozen Cincinati Conventions can not defeat him. He is founded on the rock of principles defended and saved, and pledges fulfilled."

Get out of the way; what are you good for? said a cross old man to a little bright-eyed urchin who happened to stand in the way. The little fellow, as he stepped one side, replied very gently: "They make men out of such things as we are."

At a revival meeting in one of the interior towns of Mississippi, the minister observed one of the congregation to be sound asleep. Shocked at such a sight, the good man went up to the unconcious person, awoke him, and asked him if he was a christain. "No," said the man, "I am editor of a newspaper." Then, in the name of God, let us pray!" replied the voted minister, greatly astonished at such an answer.

The New York *Evening Mail* says; "Edith O'Gorman, who has attained much notoriety very agreeable no doubt to herself, in the character of an escaped nun, is now in the Northwest, gathering new laurels of rather a mud-bespattered kind, by getting intoxicated and being cruelly beaten and abused by a man named Auffray, who is supposed to be her husband. At least that is the way Minnesota papers represent it."

It is announced that the chair in which John Adams was sitting when he singed the Declaration of Independence will be sent from the city of New York to Cincinnati, to be occupied by the presiding officer of the Liberal Convention. The "Liberals" had also better send on the silk stockings and cocked hat and the "little hatchet" of George Washington. They will need all these things.

The Boston *Advertiser* makes sharp point against the Cincinnati pilgrims. One of their chief complaints against Grant is the allegation that he makes bad appointments. But one of their favorite names for the Presidency is that of Charles Francis Adams, whom Grant appointed the American arbiter in the Geneva Board. And the *Advertiser* wants to know if they are going to prove the unfitness of Grant's appointments by presenting one of his appointees as fit to be President!

The *Tribune* says of the signers of the Illinois call to Cincinnati they are "the best Republican blood of the country." If this be so, the Republican party of Illinois deserves great credit for having kept "the best Republican blood of the country" in office until it is getting chilled by age. The numerous "ex's" prefixed to almost every name attest the justice of this remark. But what does Mr. Greeley mean by "best Republican blood?" Does he propose to establish an order of merit by reason of "blood?" This is centralization and "personal" government in its worst form.

One dark night, not long ago, a burglar entered a private residence in a country town. On ascending the flight of stairs he observed a light in a chamber and while deliberating what to do, a large woman suddenly descended upon him, seized him by the throat, pushed him down through the hall and forced him into the street before he had time to think. "Heroic Repulse of a Burglar by a Woman," was the way in which the story appeared in the newspaper the next day. But when friends called and congratulated her upon her courage, she exclamed. "Good gracious, I didn't know it was a burglar. If I had I should have been frightened to death. I thought it was my husband come home drunk again, and I was determined he shouldn't stay in the house in that condition."

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

100,000 CORNED Herrings for sale at Perry's Fishery 2½ miles from Elizabeth City. Price made to suit buyers.
HOLLOWELL & PERRY.
May 2d 1872.

NOTICE IN BANKRUPTCY.

District court of the United States, For the Albemarle District. } In Bank ruptcy:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That on the 28th day of April A. D. 1872, warrant in Bankruptcy was issued out of the District Court of the United States for the Albemarle District of North Carolina, against the estate of James M. Trader, of Hertford County and State of N. Carolina, who has been adjudged a bankrupt on his own petition; that the payment of any debts, and delivery of any property belonging to such bankrupt, to him or for his use, and the transfer of any property by him are forbidden by law, that a meeting of the creditors of the said bankrupt to prove their debs and to choose one or more assignees of his state, will be heldat a Court of Bankruptcy to b holden at Elizabeth City, N. C., before T. W.Costen, Esq., Register in Bankruptcy, on the 21st day of May, A. D. 1872, at 10 o'clock, A. M.

S. T. CARROW, U. S. *Marshal,*
Jos.Z. PRATT *Cputy U. S. M. as Messenger.*
45-3t.

NOTICE IN BANKRUPTCY.

District Court of the United States, For the Albemarle District. } In Bankruptcy.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That on the 18th day of April A. D. 1872, warrant in Bankruptcy was issued out of the District Court of the United States for the Albemarle District of North Carolina, against the estate of Wilmington & Tarboro R. R., State of North Carolina, who have been adjudged a Bankrupt on creditors petition; that the payment of any debts, and delivery of any property belonging to such bankrupt, to them or for their use, and the transfer of any property by them are forbidden by law, that a meeting of the creditors of the said bankrupt to prove their debts and to choose one or more assignees of their state, will be held at Elizabeth City. N. C., before T. W. Costen, Esq., Register in Bankruptcy, on the 21st day of May, A. D. 1872, at 10 o'clock, A. M.

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

A FAMILY PAPER

Which can be trusted and which is always full of interest, is a necessity of the times. Such a one is the

CHRISTIAN UNION,

The Unsectarian, Religious, Literary Family Newspaper, whose Editor is

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It has something for every member of the Household, in matters of Religion, Morals, Politics, Literature, Art, Science, Agriculture, Poetry, News, Fiction for Young and Old, Truth for Everybody.

Mr. Beecher's vigorous pen, in his *Editorials* and *Star Papers,* and Mr. Ellinwood's famed verbatim reports of the helpful *Lecure Room Talks* in Plymouth Church, are great attractions. Mr. Beecher is assisted by a large and able editorial staff.

Attractions For 1872.

GIVEN AWAY!

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"Wide Awake and Fast Asleep."

Two Exquisite French Oil Chromos, *the subjects of which are* Life-Size, *and cannot fail to please all who love Art or Children,*
Are GIVEN AWAY to every subscriber for 1872, whether it be a *New Subscription* or a *Renewal!*

The *N. Y. Evening Mail* says of these chromos: "'Wide Awake' and 'Fast Asleep' are two examples of the Choromo lithographic art, which have few rivals in the market in attractiveness."

A subscriber writes to the Publishers: "The Chromos far surpass in beauty and style, anything that I expected. A neighbor of mine bought the same Chromos in New York a few months ago, and paid Ten Dollars for them. Please accept my thanks for them."

ENLARGEMENT AND CHANCE OF FORM.

On the first of January the paper was enlarged, and will hereafter be folded in twenty-four large quarto pages, pasted at the back and trimmed at the edges,—a decided advantage in in convenience for reading, possessed by no other religious weekly published.

MRS. HARIET REECHER STOWE
during the year 1872,
Will Write Exclusively
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PERSONS wishing Stamps of any denomination, from two cents to one dollar, can be supplied by ordering or calling in person on me, as an Agency for their sale has been established at this place.
JESSE C. JACOCKS,
Superior Court Clerk,
44—4t. Hertford, N. C.

THE PEOPLE'S FAVORITE
NATIONAL GIFT ENTERPRISE,
FOR EDUCATIONAL PURPOSES.
Established in 1869.

Our Tenth Distribution will take place in public in Hon. L. D. Campbell's Hall,
Monday, May 20th, 1872.
$50,000 IN CASH AND VALUABLE GIFTS!

1 Cash Gift in American Gold, $5,000; 1 Cash Gift in American Silver, $5,000; 3 Cash prizes, each $1,000. Whole Number of Cash Gifts, $1,672. Single Tickets, $1; Six Tickets, $5.

10,000 Agents wanted, to whom liberal deduction will be made. Drawing takes place every 60 days.

Circulars containing references and full information sent to any one ordering them.

Address at once,
L. A. BOLI, Manager,
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CURRITUCK COUNTY FOR LEASE OR SALE.

THE undersigned offers for lease for a term of years to a good tenant, or to sell, that very valuable Property at Cowell's Bridge, near Sligo, Currituck county, N. C. It is one of the Best and most Convenient arranged stores for merchandise in the Southern country. The present occupant has cleared Two Thousand Dollars per year since 1865. There is about fifty acres of high nice land adapted to Trucking, with a good dwelling and all necessary out-houses. The store is 36 by 30, directly on a navigable stream where a boat can lay aloug side of the ware room and load and unload, thus saving a considerable in cartage. Terms of sale very easy, very little Cash required.

Communicate with Wilson Sanderlin my former partner or the undersigned at Sligo, Currituck Co., N. C.
E. F. BAXTER.
SLIGO, N. C. Feb. 15th 1872.—3m.

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NOTICE.

North Carolina. } Superior Court.
Dare County.

William T. Brinkley and Lavinia Brinkley
vs.
Alexander Goslen and Peggy Goslen.

PETITION OF LAND.

It appearing that the def'ts, Alexande Goslin and Peggy Goslin are not resident of the State; it is ordered that publication be made in the "NORTH CARLLINIAN," a paper published in Elizabeth City, N. C., for six weeks for the said defendants to appear at the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Dare County on the 3rd day of May next then and there to plead answer or demur to the complaint, a copy of which is on file in said office or judgment will be rendered ex parte as to them.

Given under my hand at the office of Superior Court of said county on this the 16th day of March A. D. 1872.
W. D. CHADDICK, Clerk.
40-6t.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

DOWN! DOWN!! DOWN!!!

Calicoes only Six and a quarter cents.
The Concert is o'er
And Goods are down lower,
And I invite everybody to come down to
No. 11.
at the Canal bridge on Road street and examine my new Spring Stock. I am now getting in store the prettiest styles of Spring Goods ever brought to this market, consisting of Dry Goods, Fancy Notions, Boots, Shoes, Hats, Caps, etc., all the very latest style for this Spring. I have just received another lot of those beautiful
"WATCHEL" COLLARS AND BOWS.
The most tastily "gotten up thing" I ever saw. I get New Goods every boat and want the people to remember I buy for CASH exclusively which will enable me to sell at very reasonable figures. Call, Examine, and be convinced that I am indeed and in truth
"The Leader of Low Prices."
J. P. GRANDY.
P. S. Elegant Goshen Butter always on hand.
41—tf. J. P. G.

NOTICE!

State of North Carolina, Camden County. } In Superior Court.

Stephen O. Bright
Against
Hester Ann Bright. } DIVORCE.

It appearing to the satisfaction of the Court that the defendant Hester Ann Bright is a non resident of this State. It is ordered by the Court that publication be made for six weeks in the NORTH CAROLINIAN, a newspaper published in the town of Elizabeth City N. C. notifying said Hester Ann Bright the defendant in this case to make her personal appearance before said Court on the 12th Monday after the 1st Monday in March 1872, and plead answer or demur to the complaint filed in the cause or judgement exparte will be taken as to her and in favor of the Plaintiff.
P. G. MORRISSETT,
C. S. C.
42-6t. Camden County.

CHICAGO!

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At the Exhibition Universelle in Pa

NORTH CAROLINIAN

THURSDAY, MAY 2, 1872.

THIS WEEK'S ADVERTISEMENTS.

We call attention to the following new advertisements in this issue.
Bankrupt Notices.
Hearing for Sale.
A Family Paper. (The Christian Union.)

REPUBLICAN CITY TICKET.

FOR MAYOR.

C. W. GRANDY, JR.

FOR COMMISSIONERS.

JABEZ PRITCHETT, S. S. FOWLER,
C. W. SMITH, JOHN JAMES,
CHARLES S. DAVIS.

A Card.

I learn that it is currently reported that in the event of my election I will resign in favor of some other person. I take this occasion to say that the rumor and report is absolutely false. If elected I pledge myself to serve to the best of my ability to the end of the term.

C. W. GRANDY, JR.

Local and Personal.

☞ Getting green—the corn fields.

☞ The farmers are now busy preparing the ground for Cotton.

☞ A large force of hands are now at work on the new Hotel.

☞ Electioneering for the "bolters" candidate—nearly all the Democrats.

☞ "Hecla Hollywood" will appear next week.

☞ Court in Hertford this week. We learn that Judge ALBERTSON is giving full satisfaction.

☞ A movement has been inaugurated to have our City supplied by gas. We believe it will succeed.

☞ Our Gatesville correspondent's favor reached us too late for this issue. He will have a hearing next week.

☞ Our Body's Island correspondent is informed that we will be glad to receive occasional letters from him.

☞ We are informed that the Masonic Lodge at Edenton claims to possess the Chair which GEORGE WASHINGTON occupied when he was Worshipful Master.

☞ The Fisheries have been doing well. Herring have never been so abundant—never so cheap. At the Hollowell & Perry Fishery they are catching 25000 a day.

☞ At the "Bolter's" meeting which nominated Mr. COBB for Mayor *a Democrat was placed on the ticket for Commissioner.* And yet colored men are asked to vote it as a Republican ticket!

☞ The next regular meeting of Eureka Lodge will be held on Monday evening next. Every craftsman in good standing is invited to attend, and every Member is requested to be present as business of importance will be transacted.

☞ The following is a list of patents issued from the United States Patent Office to North Carolina Inventors for the week ending April 23, 1872, and each bearing that date. Furnished this paper by (Cox & Cox, Solicitors of Patents, Washington, D. C.

Riveting Device, Thos. J. Allison, Turnersburg. Plow, Wm. B. Bradford, Charlotte.

☞ If the contest for Mayor was a mere personal one between Mr. COBB and Mr. GRANDY no Republican could be complained of for voting according to his preference; but since it is a contest between the *regular nominee* of the party and a bolter—a contest between one who stands by the law and usages of the party in its integrity and one who forms coalitions with the Democracy to break the party down it becomes a very different matter. It ceases to be a question of men but becomes one of party, of principles. In such a contest no Republican can hesitate a moment. Vote for GRANDY.

☞ It will be remembered that the "Bolters" placed the names of JABEZ PRITCHETT and JOHN JAMES upon their ticket. These men, being good Republicans, came out in a Card declining to serve and declaring that they regarded the movement as one of disorganization and hostile to the Republican Party. We understand that other names have been substituted to fill the vacancy. A curious public would like to know the exact process by which they were selected. There was no public meeting, there is no Executive Committee even of Bolters. Then by what authority was it done? Was it a little back office business?

☞ Our man about town overheard the following dialogue the other day. The subject was the Mayor's election and the parties were a Republican and a "Bolter."

Republican: Well, how about the election?

Bolter: Oh, we are going to elect Mr. COBB certain.

Republican: How do you count?

Bolter: Well, there are about 60 white Republicans in the Corporation, and Mr. COBB will get 10 of them, and he will also get at least one-third of the colored vote.

Republican: Why your own count beats him. Two-thirds of the colored vote and fifty of the White Republicans will elect Mr. GRANDY by a decided majority.

Bolter: Oh, but there are 135 *other* white men in town.

Republican: Ah, you count on the Democratic vote do you? Then GEORGE is the Democratic candidate is he?

The *Bolter* saw, too late, that he had "let the cat out of the bag." He at once remembered that urgent business called him elsewhere.

——An hour later our man overheard two Democrats on the same subject:

No. 1. Let us bring out a Democratic ticket?

No. 2. No, we must vote for COBB. We can use him to break down the Radicals and put down the d——d niggers. It will help us to carry the Senatorial and Congressional Districts.

Are then any number of colored men in Elizabeth City willing to be thus used as cat's paws to pull these Democratic chesnuts out of the fire? We don't believe it.

☞ By reference to the proceedings of the Farmer's Club it will be seen that the Executive Committee has reported progress on Charter and Fair Grounds. It was decided to christen the organization under whose auspices the Fair will be held the Albemarle Agricultural Society. An appropriate name.

☞ If the integrity of the Republican organization is upheld, as it should be by the men who profess to be the most earnest for its welfare, GRANDY will be elected Mayor by a majority equal to, that given him in August last. But if the organization here is to be torn to pieces for the gratification of malice and disappointed ambition, Elizabeth City may as well be erased from the column of Republican towns at once for the party never can succeed if bolting is aided, abetted or even countenanced by Republicans.

☞ The 53rd Anniversary of Odd Fellowship in the United States was celebrated by Achoree Lodge of this City on Friday last. There was a grand parade on our principal Streets, accompanied by our Band—one of the finest and best in the State. An oration was delivered in the Baptist Church by Maj. SEATON GALES, of Raleigh. It was a very fine effort—replete with matter of instructive interest. He eloquently portrayed the marvelous progress of the age in which we live in all that is calculated to benefit and bless the human family, insisted that the aim of Odd Fellowship was to co-operate with and utilize this wonderful advance, and contended that the lessons of both, when rightly understood, were to enforce the grand doctrine of the Fatherhood of God and the Brotherhood of Man.

☞ During the past two weeks we have received urgent appeals from various parts of the District to "settle the *Cobb* matter *at once* or it will effect Hon C. L. COBB all over the District." They tell us that the example set by the Bolters of Elizabeth City will be used as a precedent and justification for revolt and rebellion in other places. In justice to the leading and active, aye, a *large majority* of the Republicans of our City we feel called upon to say that they have made every effort, nay every sacrifice consistent with honor to effect a compromise. Desiring unity and harmony, and anxious to avert any possible disaster at important elections close at hand, they magnanimously offered that both candidates be withdrawn and the party unite upon a new man—one not actively identified with either side in the contest. *This offer was refused.* In justice to Hon C. L. COBB we must say that *we know* he has made urgent appeals to his brother, both by letter and in person, to withdraw. No attention is paid to his counsel or advice. We feel authorized to say that it is his desire that all his friends cordially support the regular nominee.

——Since the above was in type the following plan of settlement was prepared by Senator POOL and Hon. C. L. COBB and addressed to C. W. GRANDY and GEO. W. COBB, respectfully requesting them and their respective friends "to agree to and carry out the arrangement." For the sake of peace and harmony Mr. GRANDY and his friends accepted, and they waited on Mr. COBB and asked him to do the same. *He positively refused.* He declared his determination to remain in the field no matter who is sacrificed or how much it may injure the party. The following is the plan submitted, and is in the hand writing of Hon. C. L COBB.

1. A Box to be opened for two (2) days, at the office of the Probate Judge, on 2d and 3d days of May.

2. Each registered Republican voter in the Corporation to deposit a paper, signed by himself, with his name in full, upon which shall be one name as his preference for Mayor, and five names for Commissioners.

3. On the 4th of May, the box to be opened by C. W. Grandy and G. W. Cobb, and the votes counted by them, they deciding upon the party standing and right to vote of those whose votes have been deposited.

4. In case of disagreement between said Grandy and Cobb as to the Republicanism and right of the party to vote, to be decided by requiring of the party—whose vote is disputed to pledge himself to vote for the regular Republican ticket.

5. Every individual on either of the tickets at present in nomination, to withdraw in favor of such parties as shall receive a plurality of the votes as above provided—and all parties to support for Mayor the man receiving the highest vote for that position and for Commissioners the five who shall receive the greatest number of votes.

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THE MARKETS.

Elizabeth City Prices Current.

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Bacon—Clear side ₩ lb	12
" Rib side	10
" Shoulder	11
" Hams, country	13 @ 15
" " sugar cured	16 @ 18
Butter—Country	25 @ 30
" N.Y. State	30 @ 40
Beeswax—₩ lb.	25 @ 30
Beans—white Navy,	1.50
Corn—new, ₩ bu.	50
Cheese—₩ lb	20
Cotton yarn—₩ bdle 2	1.85
" in seed, ₩ lb.	2
" in bale,	19@22
" in Hay,	14c @ 15
Eggs—₩ doz.	25
Flour—Super. ₩ bbl.	6.00 @ 7.00
" Extra "	7.00 @ 8.00
" Family "	8.00 @ 9.00
Herring ₩ bbl	7.00
Flaxseed—₩ bu	150 @ 155
Lard—₩ lb.	15
Lumber—Heart pine ₩ 1000ft	12.50 @ 20.00
" Cypress "	17.00 @ 20.00
" Scap "	9.00 @ 10.00
" Lath "	2.50
Meal—₩ bu. 50 lbs	80
Oats, new—₩ bu.	80
Peas—Black ₩ bu	80
Black Eyed Peas	1.00
Pork—Mess	10 @ 12
Potatoes—Irish ₩ bu.	150@200
" Sweet ₩ bu.	50
Rails—Juniper ₩ 1000	40.00 to 60.00
Shingles—Cypress, heart	4.50 to 5.50
" " 12 "	6.00 to 7.00
" " 12 " sap	4.00 @ 5.00
" W. I	2.00 @ 2.50
Salt—₩ sack, 3 bu.	1.85
Salt—T. I., per bu.	75
Tallow—₩ lb.	10 @ 15
Whiskey—₩ gal.	1.75 to 2.50

Norfolk Markets.

Cotton:	
Ordinary	20@ 21
Good Ordinary	21½@ 21¾
Low Middling	21¾@ 22
Middling	22½@ 22¾
Corn, white, 66c. Yellow 65c.	
Oats 56, seed 60.	

New York Market.

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NOTICE!

State of North Carolina, } IN SUPERIOR COURT.
Wake County. }

E. O. Macy, Pubic Administrator, as administrator of Job Carver, dec'd,
Plaintiff.

against

Elias A. Carver and wife, Corinna; Miles E. Carver and Octavia, his wife; John M. Carver; Alpheus C. Dunn and Mary J. Dunn, his wife, and Elizabeth P. Carver,
Defendants.

By virtue of an order of the Superior Court of Wake County, made in the above entitled special proceeding, it being a petition to make the real estate of the said decedent assets to pay depts, the undersigned will expose to public sale, at the Court House door, in Elizabeth City, on Tuesday, the 14th of May next, the following Tracts of Lands, situated in Pasquotank County, to-wit:

1. A Tract containing about one hundred and seventy-five (175) acres, bounded by the lands of D. A. Sawyer, John Robertson, the heirs of James Taylor, deceased, and lying on the Southwest side of Pasquotank River.

2. A Tract of Swamp Land, containing about seventy-five (75) acres, lying between the tract first above described and the Pasquotank River. If desired these two tracts will be sold together.

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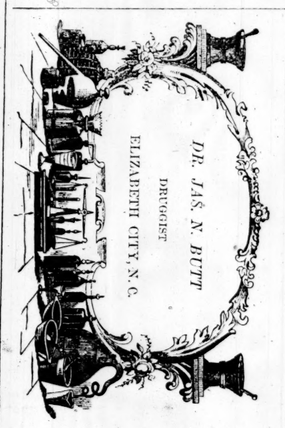

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A STORE ON SHEPARD STREET.

YES, right on the corner of Shepard street and Factory Avenue as you come over the new bridge, on Charles Creek, and the nearest way and best road into Town; where you will find a nicely seclected assortment of

DRY GOODS, GROCERIES,
SHOES, AND BOOTS,
SALT, NAILS, MESS PORK,
BUTTER, CHEESE, KEROSENE OIL,
GLASS, VINEGAR, TIN WARE,
TOBACCO, SNUFF, &C., &C.

And remember the "LITTLE MILL" close by where you will get your grinding done at the shortest notice, and in the best possible manner. The SAW MILL is now completely rebuilt, and fitted up in the best order, and will be ready for sawing in a few days; weere we will pay the highest market price for Pine, Cypress and Juniper logs, delivered either fron the River or the adjacent farms.

☞ We have added also a SHINGLE MILL, for manufacturing of sawed Shingles, which we are satisfied if once tried will be found a superior article for covering buildings and much needed here. Being determined to do business on as good terms as ony of our neighbors, we hope to merit a share of public patronage.

N. B. Cash paid for grain and all other articles in our line.

WM. UNDERWOOD.
Elizabeth City, N. C. March 7th, 1872.

THE EMPIRE
FLUTING SAD IRON,

THE BEST AND CHEAPE

AGRICULTURAL, HORTICULTURAL AND DOMESTIC MATTERS.

No profit in Dwarf Apples.

Fifteen years ago the writer bought and planted 60 young dwarf apple-trees, selecting 12 leading varieties, five trees of each. These were set out on strong clay ground free from stagnant water, mellow, and in good heart. No pains were spared. The surface was stirred frequently during the Summer of each year, and the annual manuring never neglected. Under this treatment the growth and general appearance of the trees were quite encouraging for four or five years. But so far, now 15 years, since the trees were planted, the fruit has amounted to nothing, not enough to pay for the original outlay of trees and expense of planting.

Occasionally a few of these trees would bear from six to a dozen specimens of apples, but when the crop was gathered it would range from half a bushel to a bushel of apples, from the 60 trees, and this in a bearing year. Two years before setting out these dwarf trees a standard tree of the Fall Pippin was planted near by on the same character of soil. During the past three years this single tree has produced more apples than the 60 dwarfs have since they were planted.

Last Fall more than half of the dwarfs were cut down and turned into firewood, and next Fall the balance will likely meet with the same fate. This kind of experience is not encouraging to those who are about planting dwarf apples with a view to profit or pleasure. Nor is it comforting to those who may be waiting patiently hoping in a year or two they may be rewarded with an abundant yield of apples from their dwarf trees. Discouraging as these facts are they do not differ very much from many other instances that have come under the writer's observation.

Those who want apples should plant standard trees, and if for home use, such trees may be trained low, and planted only 25 feet apart each way in the garden.

No Profit in Milking too Long.

It is generally thought best, so far as my knowledge extends, to let dairy cows go dry three, or at least two months. My own experience would give three months as about the best average length of time cows should go dry before dropping their calves in spring; and this I find best, without regard to the general health of the animal or the amount of milk to be produced the following season. Cows that are milked too long, either get thin in flesh, and give but little milk, and that little of poor quality, or else require a large amount of nutritious food to keep up a good supply of milk and the animal in good flesh. My rule is to feed liberally as long as I do milk, and when a cow gives less than two quarts of good wholsome milk, dry her off and lessen the feed. A dry cow needs but about two-thirds the amount of fodder required by a cow of the same size which gives milk, so that there is no present profit in milking too long, unless dairy products are very high, to say nothing of the damage by impairing the future usefulness of the cow.—*Country Gentlemen.*

Make Your Trees Branch Low.

Train your pear trees for garden or field culture that they will branch at a distance of one or two feet from the ground. The advantages are easily enumerated:

1. It is easy to trim.
2. It is easy to gather the fruit.
3. Falling fruit is little injured.
4. All branches being sturdy will not be strained by overbearing or overweight of fruit.
5. Soil will be kept shaded and moist.
6. The trunk will be protected from the scorching sun.
7. The tree will grow more and more beautiful.—*Horticulturist.*

Strawbery Beds.

Make the soil deep, rich, and pulverize it thoroughly. This is all the most successful grower in the country ever attempted and accomplished. When the soil is put into such a state, a man may plant strawberries with a pretty good expectation of obtaining a strong, vigorous growth, provided he obtains sorts adapted to his locality. Whether he ever gets any fruit will depend somewhat upon the variety planted and the method of culture adopted. But the ground-work and foundation of success is in putting the land into the condition we have described.

To Freshen Salt Fish.

Many persons who are in the habit of freshening mackerel, or other salt fish, never dream that there is a right and a wrong way to do it. Any person who has seen the process of evaporation going on at any salt works, that the salt falls to the bottom. Just so it is in the pan where your mackerel lies soaking; and, as it lies with the skin side down, the salt will fall to the skin and there remain; when if placed with the flesh down, the salt falls to the bottom of the pan, and the fish comes out freshened as it should be. In the other case it is nearly as salt as when put in.

The brain of a horse seems to entertain but one thought at a time; for this reason continued whipping is out of the question, and only confirms his stubborn resolve, But if you can by any means change the direction of his mind, give him a new subject to think of, nine times out of ten you will have no further trouble in starting him. As simple a trick as a little pepper, cloves or the like, thrown back on his tongue, will often succeed in turning attention to the taste in his mouth.

A correspondent of the Massachusetts *Ploughman* gives the following as his method of preventing the onion maggot from destroying the onion: "When the onions are up three to five inches, make a strong solution of salt water, and apply with a common garden water-pot, nearly hot; repeat in ten day. With this operation I have saved my onions, and had good crops when my neighbors had their all destroyed by the maggot."

The *Pacific Rural Press*: "Take a large head of cabbage, strip of the outer leaf, and slip off the bud found at the root of the leaf. Take this bud and simply set it in rich dirt, like any other plant. The result will be a fine growth of early cabbage plants with heads, larger and sounder than can be raised in the ordinary way."

Whatever plan is pursued, the surface of the barnyard should receive no water, save that which falls directly upon it from the clouds. Surface gutters should protect it against the flow of water from other ground, and the roof should be supplied with eave troughs, discharging into cisterns, or outside of the yards.

Nothing makes firmer or better pork and lard than peas; and the manure from pea-fed pigs is very rich. A heavy crop of peas, too, is a valuable crop, and a fitting one to precede winter wheat.

A correspondent of an English paper recommends the laying of old iron about rose bushes. He finds that the iron rust acts as a tonic to the rose.

GEO. D. POOL'S COLUMN.

DESCRIPTIVE CATALOGUE.

OF VALUABLE

NORTH CAROLINA LANDS,

FOR SALE BY

GEORGE D. POOL.

Real Estate Agent,

ELIZABETH CITY, N. C.

In presenting my list of lands and other properties for sale, I would say that no section of the United States offers such inducements for capitalists and emigrants, as this section of North Carolina. In longevity and healthfulness, it will compare favorably with any where and in easy and cheap transportation of its products to market, in pleasantness of climate, in the sociability of the people, in great variety, and durability of soil, no section can vie.

A railroad will soon be put through Weldon, putting this place in direct communication by rail, with the whole United States. This, together with our great fishing, farming, and manufacturing interests, and certain early completion of already projected works of improvement for putting in nearer, cheaper and easier communication with the Ocean, will render this one of the most important commercial, and manufacturing points on the Southern country.

A Steam Saw and Grist Mill in the town of Nixonton 8 miles from E. City. This Mill is a fine wharf and store attached on deep navigable water, the engine is 40 horse power, a dall in good order. It is one of the finest locations to be found any where for custom work, and for getting good saw logs easily and cheaply. Price $4,000 cash.

Adjoining the mill property is 40 acres of fine land on the River, with three houses, all for $1200. Near the same is a good two story dwelling and 13 acres of land for $2,000, and a good one story dwelling, with one acre of land for $300.

Also two fine farms in Pasquotank county, 10 miles from E. City, within half mile of church, school house and post office. One tract contains about 400 acres, with fair buildings and mostly cleared, and the other contains 500 acres, with good two story dwelling, large barn, and other outhouses, both are offered at $20 per acre, one third cash, balance in one and two years.

Also one other tract in Pasquotank county, containing 116 acres, within one mile of the town with fine buildings, mostly cleared and in cultivation. Price $25 per acre, one half cash, balance in 12 months.

A valuable site for a hotel at Nag's Head, 40 miles from Elizabeth City, and 50 miles from Edenton. This is situated immediately on the Ocean, and is a famous Summer resort for invalids, and those seeking health, comfort, and amusements during the summer months. It is in direct communication by steamboats, and railroad with all parts of North Carolina, Virginia, and the North; and is equal in natural advantages to Newport, or Cape May. Visitors flock to this famous summer resort by hundreds and thousands, and a large amount of money can be made by a hotel. A charter has been obtained from the Legislature of N. C., for a joint stock company to build the hotel. There is now an old hotel on the spot, which could be cheaply repaired and bought for $3,000. This hotel, though imperfectly kept, cleared the proprietor last season, over $2,000. For a man or a company, having some capital, this is one of the finest chances to make money at hotel keeping to be found anywhere. The early attention of the public is invited to this property.

A fine steam saw and grist mill at Hertford, the county seat of Perquimans County, N. C., 18 miles from Elizabeth City. This mill has a fifty horse power engine, now in good running, two pairs of best French burr stones, and two upright saws. The house has a brick basement, and the building is large and in good order. There is one and a half acres of land belonging to this property, and a good two story dwelling, and other out-houses. The section of country adjacent abounds in the finest yellow pine, cypress, ash, poplar, and other valuable timber. This property originally cost $15,000, and is now offered at forced sale for the low price of $3,500, $7,00, cash, and the balance in six equal instalments, six months apart each with interest.

A fine farm and fishery in same county. The farm contains 400 acres of the finest land, lies immediately on Albemarle Sound where the water is 12 miles wide, and 18 to 20 feet deep, has got buildings, and fine neighborhood. The fishery is on the farm and goes with it. It has a new seine 2,500 yards long, and all the necessary boats, buildings, &c., (which cost over $15,000 two years ago.) The fishery alone, of a good season, will make from 5 to $10,000 profit to the owner. This property is offered at forced sale for the low price of $20,000, $7,000 cash, balance on easy times.

A store at South Mills, in Camden county, 20 miles from E. City, and 20 miles from Norfolk, lying on the canal where steamers pass daily. A fine chance for merchandize. Store is large with dwelling above containing six rooms, is in first rate order, has office, kitchen, dairy, and other necessary outhouses. Goods to the amt. of $50,000 per annum can be sold here, and at large profits. A splendid stand for a country retail store. Price $2,500—one third cash, balance in one and two years.

A valuable tract of land in Camden county, at South Mills, on the Dismal Swamp Canal, lying on the canal for two miles, containing over 900 acres of land—two-thirds cleared, and in a fine state of cultivation, with good buildings, &c.; balance in valuable timber. Price $12,000, one-third cash, balance in one and two years, interest from January, 1871. This is a valuable farm for corn, wheat, and vegetables, and being midway between Elizabeth City and Norfolk, and located where steamers pass by the door daily, is a desirable and cheap property.

A fine farm of 600 acres within six miles of E. City, one mile from navigable water, and the best cotton farm in the State. It is also well adapted to raising corn and wheat. This farm has a splendid two-story dwelling upon it, large barn, 50 by 60 feet, a large number of outhouses, by splended trees and shrubbery, is in a strong Union neighborhood, and altogether the most desirable place in the county. A little over one-half of this land is cleared, and the balance is covered with the finest yellow pine, poplar, ash and other timber. Price $30 per acre—one-third cash, balance in one and two years with interest. Title reserved.

Sixteen houses and lots in Elizabeth City, with good dwellings, out-houses, &c. Prices and terms reasonable.

A valuable farm in Perquimans county, N. C. near navigable water. Has a fine dwelling-house with ten rooms, in splended order, with splended barns and stables—all in first rate order. The farm is very productive in corn, oats, wheat, cotton and clover. It is one of the finest farms in the State and is now in good cultivation, contains 535 acres of land, about three-fourths cleared and under cultivation. Price $10,000, one-third cash January 1, next, balance in two equal annual instalments with interest at the rate of six per cent.

A farm of 370 acres 8 miles from town by water, and 12 miles by land, is offered for sale for $10,000 in easy payments. This tract of land lies immediately on the River which is 4 miles wide and washes the farm its whole length on one side, and a branch of the River one mile wide, binds it on one end. The land is well adapted to raising corn, wheat, cotton, oats, peas, &c., lies high and dry, and is susceptible of the highest improvement. Fronting and looking over, as it does, two large sheets of navigable water, where steamers and sailing vessels are constantly passing, carrying freight and passengers to all parts of the country, its location and surroundings, are of the most fascinating and desirable character. There is a fishery on it ready for working a seine 2,500 yards long, and which commands a portion of both streams of water, and can be made immensely profitable. The price charged is low, and the purchase a very desirable one. The buildings consist of a good two-story dwelling and out-houses.

A desirable house and lot in the town of Elizabeth City on the corner of two principal streets, the principal one, and situated in the best business locality in the town. The lot contains about two acres of land, and the buildings consist of a fair dwelling three stories high, containing eight rooms, all in good order, another two story building with four rooms and pantries, dairy, smokehouses, stables, &c. The dwelling has a good cellar under it. There is room on the front lot to erect two good stores, and they would occupy the best stand in the town for merchandize.

A Farm of 200 acres within one mile of Elizabeth City, with good two story dwelling, large barn and stables, and all necessary outhouses, orchard of fine fruit trees, and a large number of ornamental trees and shrubbery around dwelling. This farm is on one of the most public roads in the County—is in a high state of cultivation—has fine and durable fences, &c. Altogether, it is the richest land and most desirable location, anywhere in the neighborhood of the town. Price $6000—one-half cash, balance in easy payments.

For further particulars, enquire of

GEO. D. POOL,
Agent.

Elizabeth City, N. C., Mar. 9, 1871.

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TO SPORTSMEN.—

The ubscriber would announce to his friends and the public that he continues at the old stand on Road street and keeps on hand a good assortment of Guns, Rifles, Pistols Sporting apparatus and also a fine selection of cutlery, He may at all times be found either in his store prepared to accommodate customers with New Goods, or in his shop adjoining, willing and happy to repair any article in his line of business.

29—1y. GEO. W. BELL.

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best mechanics in each of the departments, and giving my own particular attention to all work done at my shop, I feel safe in saying that my work will compare favorably with that of any of the large cities. All I ask is an examination of my work to convince those in want of any kind of a vehicle that this is the place to buy them.

Repairing done at short notice and at reasonable rates. Give me a call.

JNO. S. WAUGH.

Elizabeth City, Nov. 25, 1869.-tf.

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AGAINST

THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT.

Loyal citizens of North Carolina and other Southern States, will be pleased to learn that Congress at the last session passed a law for a commission to be appointed to examine and report on all claims that may be presented to them for Quartermaster and Commissary stores furnished the Federal Army during the late war.

The undersigned are prepared to furnish blanks, and give all information to those having claims—and to prosecute the same to final settlement. Having received the endorsement for ability, &c., from the Hon. Senators Messrs. Pool and Abbott and the Representatives from North Carolina—we believe that we can give satisfaction to all who entrust their claims to us.

McLELLAND & BENEDICT,
Attorneys and solicitors of Claims and Patents
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It is rich in the Medicinal qualities of Tar, and unequaled for Diseases of the Throat and Lungs, performing the most remarkable cures.

Coughs, Colds, Chronic Coughs,

Is effectually cures them all.

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Pains in Breast, Side or Back, Gravel or Kidney Disease, Diseases of the Urinary Organs, Jaundice or any Liver Complaint.

It has no equal.

It is like a superior Tonic

Restores the Appetite,

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Causes the Food to Digest.

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Prevents Malarious Fevers,

Gives tone to your System.

TRY DR. CROOK'S WINE OF TAR.

PURIFY YOUR BLOOD.

For Scrofula, Scrofulous Diseases of the Eyes, or Scrofula in form.

Any disease or eruption of the Skin, disease of the liver, Rheumatism, Pimples, Old Sores, Ulcers, Broken-down Constitutions, Syphilis, or any disease depending on a depraved condition of the blood, try

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It has the medicinal property of Poke combined with a preparation of Iron which goes at once into the blood, performing the most rapid and wonderful cures.

Ask your druggist for Dr. Crook's Compound Syrup of Poke Root—take it and be healed. 21—tf.

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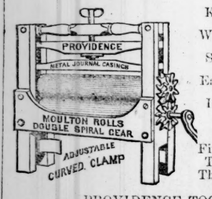

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TO THE FARMERS OF EASTERN CAROLINA.

NATURAL FISH GUANO.

I have on hand a quantity of Pure FISH GUANO in its natural state which I will deliver on board of any vessel at Oregon Inlet, N. C., for $25 per ton; or I will deliver it at any landing for $30 per ton.

Considering that the Guano of Commerce costs from $50 to $60 per ton, and so much of it being adulterated, farmers can readily see that it is to their advantage to purchase the purer article I offer them at such reduced rates. Orders sent to me at Roanoke Island will receive prompt attention.

J. W. ETHERIDGE.

Jan. 4th, 1872-tf.

DISMAL SWAMP STEAM TRANS., CO

Carrying the United States Mail

From Elizabeth City, N. C., to Norfolk, Va.

The Steamer "Thomas Jefferson," Conklin, Commanding, leaves the wharf of the Company at E. City every Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 6 o'clock A. M., returning alternate days from Newton's wharf at Norfolk, Va., at 7 o'clock A. M.

The Steamer Elizabeth City leaves from Comany's Wharf every Tuesday and Thursday at 6 o'clock A. M. and leaves Norfolk every Wednesday and Friday at 7 o'clock A. M. The Str. E. City after arrival from Norfolk Fridays will leave E. City for Columbia and Spruills Bridge, returning Saturday night or Sunday.

For further information appliy to

W. A. HARNEY, Agent.

E. City March 20th, 1872.

LAND AND LUMBER COMPANY

LAND AND LUMBER COMPANY

OF

NORTH CAROLINA.

Incorporated by the Legislature of North Carolina, December 17, 1868.

CAPITAL STOCK - - - - $300,000,00.

General Office: Elizabeth City, N. C.

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TO THE PUBLIC.

THE LAND AND LUMBER COMPANY having a large amount of Real Estate of their own to dispose of, and their business having increased to such an extent, they think it prudent to decline acting further as Commission Agents for the sale of lands belonging to others. They will however be glad at all times to furnish every facility to parties coming to Elizabeth City with a desire to look at the country and make purchases if they find it to their interest to do so.

The following list of property, owned by the Company, is offered for sale on the most reasonable terms. Their object now is to acquire a larger monied capital for the purpose of further developing their unimproved lands and carrying out their original design of increasing the Commerce and General Trade of Elizabeth City.

As there are others in the Commission Business, parties are referred to their advertisement for further information.

ELIZABETH CITY.

The following desirable list of Properties in Elizabeth City are offered at very reduced prices for cash or on time payments at rates which make any of them excellent investments for capitalists. We feel confident that this City is destined to become a large place and property will advance rapidly. Emigration is now tending Southernward and the feeling is in universal favor toward Elizabeth City.

A large two-story dwelling known as the Parsonage, with fine double Piazza, front and back, large out kitchen, stables, carriage house, with 17 acres of ground well enclosed. This ground is all within the corporation of the City, and is well situated to lay out in building lots and make out of it ten fold the price asked for it.

A two-story dwelling containing ten rooms, 10,000 gallon cistern and all necessary out-houses, with large lot. Situated on Main Street. A Vacant Lot no better located and not so large as this was sold recently for $1600 cash.

A large brick store house and wharf situate on Water street, in E. City, comprising three lots with 400 feet of water front, permanently wharfed for the accommodation of large vessels. There is erected on these lots a large two-story brick building, 50 by 80 feet, well fitted up for a wholesale or retail trade at present occupied by the "Yankee Store."

A large wood store on west side of Water street 36 by 60, two stories high, being one of the best stands on Water street for merchandizing.

A House and Lot on Riverside Avenue. House 20ft front by 50 ft deep. Containing eight rooms with Pantry and Cellar, all well finished, modern style, and having all necessary out buildings. The lot contains a front of 400 ft, and would be a good location for a large shop or foundry as one whole side fronts on the water.

Also a large number of Wharf Lots, Mill Lots and Vacant Lots at very low prices, some of which are enumerated below. The Wharf Lots are 200ft deep and will be sold to any size desired along the River. Among them are some most eligible situations for Store Houses, Mills and Manufactories of any kind as there is a fine harbor immediately in front of them, having 30ft of water, sufficient for vessels of any capacity. Along Pennsylvania Avenue are offered some of the finest and choicest lots, for dwellings in town at prices varying according to location. This will be the finest street in town, is 80 feet wide, size of Lot 100ft front by 200ft deep. There are now a number of first class residences being erected on this street. Immediately in the vicinity of these Lots the Company have erected a large Planing Mill, Sash, Blind and Door Factory at a cost of near $20,000 and also their Saw Mill at a cost of near $15,000. That *now* is the proper time to invest in those Lots there can be no doubt; as they will double in value in a very short time. Lots not near so good as these, are now selling in other parts of the City at more than double the price asked for these.

VACANT LOTS.

Lots Nos. 150, 155, 158, 161, 163, 165, 167, 170, 172, 175, 178, 180, 182, 185, 187, 190, 193, 195, 198 and 200, situate on Pennsylvania avenue, in the new extension of Elizabeth City, all choice lots, intended for the better class of residences. Size of lots 100 feet front by 200 feet deep. Price varying, according to location, from $100 to $1000.

TOWN LOTS.

Lots Nos. 250, 253, 255, 256, 258, 261, 263, 266, 267, 268, 271, 283, 285, 287, 288, 289, 291, 296, 299 and 300, situated on various Streets in the new extension of Elizabeth City, size of lots 50 feet front by 100 feet deep, at prices varying from $25 to $100.

MILL LOTS.

Four Mill-Lots situated on Knobb's Creek, so that logs can be taken from the creek to the mill. These lots have 200 feet each of water front, and over 600 feet deep to Mill street, and are choice sites. The purchaser will also have the right of storage for logs in the boom.

PASQUOTANK COUNTY.

The Land and Lumber Company also offer for sale, one thousand acres of their timbered land along the Main Road leading from Elizabeth City to Hertford and Edenton, Said land heavily wooded, soil very rich and about four miles from Elizabeth City. This land will be sold in lots to suit purchasers and at the low price of ten dollars per acre.

They also offer a tract of three thousand acres in Lots to suit purchasers, near the Pasquotank River, ten miles from Elizabeth City and three miles from South Mills. This land is heavily set with wood and also has upon it a vast amount of saw timber, and has a most excellent soil. This is a fine location for a small Colony. There is now a Public Road running directly through it. This tract is offered at the low price of eight dollars per acre if sold to one party, or at only a fraction more if divided into small lots.

The Company will also sell their farm of 150 acres two miles from Elizabeth City. 125 acres cleared and under good cultivation, well fenced, having upon it two dwelling houses, one new and the necessary out buildings wanted on a farm, and will be sold on very reasonable terms.

Also another farm one mile from Elizabeth City containing one hundred acres, between thirty and forty acres cleared and under cultivation, the balance is now being cut off and is nearly ready to be cleared up and cultivated. This property is very desirable being so near the City though for reasons first given will be sold at a very low price.

We have a finely timbered tract of land situated on the Albemarle Sound twenty miles from Elizabeth City, containing 124 acres. Good timber land bordering on the water is valuable both for wood as well as saw timber as water transportation affords a good margin for wood, say one dollar per cord. This will also make good farm land—will be sold for one thousand dollars.

Also one other tract of land containing 154 acres situated immediately on the Pasquotank River ten miles from Elizabeth City, valuable for wood, and is excellent farming lands, would be sold for six dollars per acre.

GATES COUNTY.

The Land & Lumber Company have a tract of 350 acres of timbered land one half mile from Chowan River and three miles from Winton the county seat of Hertford county. This body of land is well timbered and will be sold at the low price of three dollars per acre.

☞ The most direct and cheapest route is to go to Baltimore by N. C. R. R., then Bay Line steamer to Norfolk, Va., then steamer to Elizabeth City, N. C.

MANUFACTURERS AND DEALERS IN LUMBER.

The LAND & LUMBER COMPANY are also proprietors of the Elizabeth City Saw and Planing Mills, and Manufacturers and Dealers in

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WANTED.

WANTED.—Any quantity of good Pine and Cypress Saw Logs delivered at the Land & Lumber Co's Mill at Elizabeth City, N. C., for which the Highest Market Price will be paid.

Logs should be cut in the Months of July, August, September, October, November, December and January.

All Logs must be cut in even lengths of 12, 14 or 16 feet, with 3 or 4 inches allowed for run of saw.

16 FEET LENGTHS PREFERED.

The Logs must be Sawed off at both ends else a Reduction in price will be made. For Further information inquire at our office.

LAND & LUMBER CO.

Elizabeth City, N. C.

NEW STEAM FREIGHT LINE FROM NORFOLK TO ELIZ. CITY.

The Steamer Abby will leave McCullock's wharf at Norfolk, every Monday, Wednesday and Friday, and the Land & Lumber Company's wharf, at E. City, every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 5 o'clock A. M., and will stop for freight at all way landings.

All way freight must be pre-paid.

E. City, N. C., Jan. 3d, 1872. ELMER DEAKYNE, Capt.

MISCELLANEOUS.

R. R. R.

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In from One to Twenty Minutes. Not One Hour after reading this advertisement need any one suffer with pain. Radway's Ready Relief is a cure for every pain. It was the first and is

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